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Feb. 3d, 1859.

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July 14, 1859.-tf

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Teeth filled with Gold, and warranted for ten years.

Teeth Extracted by the Electro Magnetic Machine without Pain.

All operations and work done cheaper than anywhere else in the county, and a deduction made, of the railroad expenses from Altoona to Hollidaysburg, from all operations amounting to five dollars and over.

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Altoona, August 4, 1859.—tf

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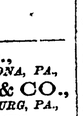
☞ A Student wanted.

DR. WM. R. FINLEY RESPECTFULLY offers his professional services to the people of Altoona and the adjoining country.



He may be found at the office heretofore occupied by Dr. G. D. Thomas.

Altoona, Sept. 30, 1858.-tf

B. F. ROYER, M. D., Offers his professional services to the citizens of Altoona and vicinity.

The best of references can be given if required.

Office at residence on Branch street, East Altoona, three doors above Conrad's Store. April 29 '59-1y.

O YES! O YES!—GENTLEMEN draw nigh and hear. JOSEPH P. TROUT announces to the public, that he is ready to discharge his duty as an Auctioneer whenever called upon. [jan. 2 '56.

J. G. ADLUM, Notary Public, ALTOONA, BLAIR COUNTY, PA.

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CHOICE MARBLE,

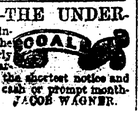
and be prepared to execute orders for

Tomb Stones, Monuments, Table Tops,

&c., in a prompt and workmanlike manner.

Hollidaysburg, April 14, '59-6m.*

COAL! COAL!—THE UNDERSIGNED would respectfully inform the citizens of Altoona that he has taken the Coal Yard formerly kept by John Allison, and is prepared to furnish all kinds of Coal at the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms, for cash or prompt monthly payments.



Sept. 22, 1859-3m JACOB WAGNER.

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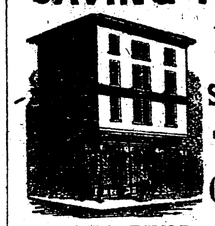

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☞ Office Hours—Every day from 9 till 5 o'clock, and on Mondays and Thursdays till 8 o'clock in the evening.

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The weekly payment of this Company to those incapacitated for active life by sickness or accident, equals the annual deposit. For instance, by paying at the rate of

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20 00	do	do	20 00
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The Board of Directors submit the following testimonial from Governor Wm. F. Packer, showing the reputation of the Company at home:

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I am personally acquainted with the Directors and Officers of the West Branch Insurance Company at Lock Haven, Pa., and cheerfully bear testimony to their high character as business men. A company under their control will undoubtedly be safely and prudently managed, and all losses which it may sustain honorably adjusted.

May 5, 1859-6m

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Sept. 29, 1859.-6m

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GEO. C. HELMBOLD, *Sec'y.* [Sept. 29, '59-6m

American Life Insurance and Trust Co. Capital Stock, $500,000.

Company Building, Walnut St., S. E. corner of Fourth Phila.

W. R. BOYERS, AG'T, ALTOONA, LIFE INSURANCE AT THE USUAL MUTUAL RATES, OR AT JOINT STOCK RATES, AT ABOUT 20 PER CENT. LESS, OR AT TOTAL ABSTINANCE RATES, THE LOWEST IN THE WORLD. A. WHILLDIN, *Pres't.*
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BLAIR COUNTY INSURANCE AGENCY.—The undersigned, Agent of the Blair County Mutual Fire Insurance Company, is at all times ready to insure against loss or damage by fire, *Buildings, Merchandize, Furniture and Property*, of every description, in town or country, at as reasonable rates as any Company in the State. Office with Bell, Johnston, Jack & Co. D. Z. CALDWELL, *Agent.*

Jan. 27, '59-tf

LYCOMING COUNTY MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE AGENCY.—The undersigned, agent of the Lycoming Mutual Fire Insurance Company, is at all times ready to insure against loss or damage by fire, *Buildings, Merchandize, Furniture and Property* of every description, in town or country, at as reasonable rates as any company in the State. Office in the Masonic Temple.

Jan. 3, '56-tf] JOHN SHOEMAKER, *Agent.*

GREAT WESTERN INSURANCE AND TRUST COMPANY.—Insurance on Real or personal property will be effected on the most reasonable terms by their agents in Altoona at his office in Anna St.

March 17, 1859. JOHN SHOEMAKER, Agent.

UNITED STATES LIFE INSURANCE Company. Agency, Anna Street, Altoona. March 17, 1859. JOHN SHOEMAKER, Agent.

Original Poetry.

THE PLOUGHMAN.

Tearing up the stubborn soil—
Trudging, drudging, toiling, moiling,
Hands and feet and garments soiling—
Who would grudge the ploughman's toil!
Yet there's lustre in his eye,
Borrowed from yon glowing sky;
And there's a meaning in his glance,
That bespeak no dreamer's fancies—
For his mind has precious lore,
Gleaned from Nature's sacred store.

Tolling up yon weary hill,
He has worked since early morn,
Ease and rest, and pleasure scorning,
And he's at his labor still—
Though the slanting western beam,
Quivering on the glassy stream,
And yon old elm's lengthened shadow
Flung arthwart the verdant meadow,
Tell that shadowy twilight gay
Cannot now be far away.

See! he stops and wipes his brow—
Marks the rapid sun's descending—
Marks his shadow far extending—
Deems it time to quit the plough.
Weary man and weary seed
Welcome food and respite need;
'Tis the hour when bird and beast
Seek repose—and why not he?
Nature loves the twilight blest,
Let the toil-worn ploughman rest.

Ye, who nursed upon the breast
Of ease and pleasure enervating,
Ever new delights creating,
Which not long retain their rest—
Ere upon your taste they pall,
What avail your pleasures all;
In his hard, but pleasant labor,
He, your useful, healthy neighbor,
Finds enjoyment, real, true—
Vainly sought by such as you.

Nature's open volume lies,
Richly tinted, brightly beaming,
With its various lessons teeming
All outspread before your eyes.
Dewy glades and opening flowers,
Emerald meadows, vernal bowers,
Sun and shade, and bird and bee,
Fount and forest, hill and lea—
All things beautiful and fair,
His benignant teachers are.

Tearing up the stubborn soil—
Trudging, drudging, toiling, moiling,
Hands and feet and garments soiling,
Who would grudge the ploughman's toil!
Yet 'tis health and wealth to him,
Strength of nerve, and strength of limb,
Light and fervor in his glances,
Life and beauty in his fancies,
Learned and happy, brave and free—
Who so proud and blest as he!

There's Room Enough for All.

What need of all this fuss and strife,
Each warring with his brother?
Why should we, in the crowd of life,
Keep trampling down each other?
Is there no goal that can be won,
Without a squeeze to gain it?
No other way of getting on,
But scrambling to obtain it?
Oh, fellow-men, hear wisdom, then,
In friendly warning call—
"Your claims divide, the world is wide—
There's room enough for all!"

What if the swarthy peasant find
No field for honest labor,
He need not idly stop behind,
To thrust aside his neighbor.
There is a land with sunny skies,
Which gold for toil is giving,
Where every brawny hand that tries
Its strength, can grasp a living.
Oh, fellow men, remember, then,
Whatever chance befall,
The world is wide—where those abide,
There's room enough for all.

From poisoned air ye breathe in courts,
And typhus-tainted alleys,
Go forth and dwell where health resorts,
In fertile hills and valleys:
Where every man that clears a bough
Finds plenty in attendance,
Up, leave your loathsome cities, now,
And toil for independence.
Oh, hasten, then, from fevered den,
And lodging cramp and small;
The world is wide—in land beside
There's room enough for all.

In this fair region far away,
Will labor find employment—
A fair day's work, a fair day's pay,
And toil will earn enjoyment.
What need, then, of this daily strife,
Where each wars with his brother?
Why need we, through the crowd of life,
Keep trampling down each other?
From rags and crime that distant clime
Will free the pauper's thrall;
Take fortune's tide—the world so wide
Has room enough for all!

Select Miscellany.

"DON'T."

BY T. S. ARTHUR.

"You are sober this evening," said Mrs. Landell to her husband. "I hope nothing has gone wrong during the day."

Mr. Landell, who had been sitting with his eyes upon the floor, silent and abstracted for some moments, roused himself at these words of his wife, and looked up at her, smiled in a forced way, as he answered—

"Oh, no; nothing at all has gone wrong."

"Don't you feel well?"

The voice of Mrs. Landell was just shaded with concern.

"Well enough in body, but not as comfortable in mind as I desire."

"Then something has gone wrong," said the wife, her manner troubled.

"Nothing more than usual," replied Mr. Landell. The forced smile faded away from his countenance. Mrs. Landell sighed.

"Than usual!" She repeated his words looking with earnest inquiry into her husband's face. Then she added in a tender manner—

"Bring home your trouble, dear. Don't hide anything. Let me share with you the good and ill of life. Did you not know that hearts draw nearer in suffering than they do in joy."

"Bless your kind heart, Alice!" said Mr. Landell, a broad smile creeping over his face as he caught her round cheeks between his hands and kissed her. "There isn't anything in the case so serious as all that comes to. I'm not going to fail in business; haven't lost anything worth speaking about; haven't cheated anybody and don't intend to; it's only this hasty, impulsive temper of mine that is always leading me to say or do something that leaves a sting."

The cloud passed from the face of Mrs. Landell.

"You will overcome that in time, Edward."

"I can't see that I make any progress. Yesterday I spoke sharply to one of my young men, when a mild reproof would have been more just and of more salutary effect. He is sensitive, and my words hurt him severely. The shadow that remained on his face all day was my perpetual rebuke, and I felt it long after the sun went down. My punishment was greater than his. But the lesson of yesterday did not suffice. This morning I was betrayed into captious language, and wounded the same young man, and threw him off his guard so much that he answered me with feeling. This I regarded as impertinence, and threatened to dismiss him from my service if he dared venture a repetition of his language. When feeling subsided and thought became clear again, I saw that I had been wrong and felt unhappy about it ever since. I wish that I had more self control; that I could bridle my tongue when feeling it suddenly spurred. But temperament and long indulged habits are against me."

Mrs. Landell encouraged and soothed her husband, and so won his mind away from its self-reproaches.

On the next morning as Mr. Landell was leaving for his store, his wife looked up at him, and with a meaning, said to him—

"Don't."

There was the slightest perceptible warning in her tone.

"Don't what?" Mr. Landell seemed a little puzzled.

"Don't forget yourself."

"Oh!" Light broke in upon his mind.—"Thank you, I will not;" and he went forth to meet the trials of the day.

Almost the first thing that fell under the notice of Landell was an important letter, which after writing, he had given to a clerk to copy and mail. Instead of being in Boston, as it should have been, it lay upon his desk. Neglect like this he felt to be unpardonable.

"John," he called sharply to a young man at the farther end of the store.

"Don't!" it seemed to him like the voice of his wife in his ear—"don't forget yourself."

This mental warning came just in season.—The clerk came quietly towards him. By the time he reached the desk of Mr. Landell, the latter was under self-control.

"Why was not this letter mailed John?" he asked.

The tone was neither imperative nor captious, but kind; and the question was asked in a way that said, of course there is good reason for omission; and so there was.

"I think, sir," answered John, "that there is a mistake, and I thought it not best to put the letter in the mail."

"A mistake? How?" and Mr. Landell opened the letter.

"It reads," said the clerk, "three hundred cases of shawls."

"Oh no; thirty cases," replied Mr. Landell. But as he said this his eye rested on the three hundred. "So it is. How could I have made such an error? You did right, John, in not sending the letter at all."

The clerk went back to his place, and the merchant said to himself, "How glad I am that I was able to control myself. If I had spoken to that young man as I felt, I would have wronged and alienated him, and made trouble for myself all day."

Not long after this a case of goods fell through the hatchways, crushing down upon the landing with a noise that caused Mr. Landell, whose temperament was exceedingly nervous, to spring to his feet. To blame some body was his first impulse. "What careless fellow has done this?" was on his tongue.

"Don't!" the inward monitor spoke in time. Mr. Landell shut his lips tightly, and kept silent until he could command himself. He then inquired calmly into the cause of the accident, and found that special blame attached to none. Opening the case of goods, the damage was found to be trifling.

"Another conquest," said Mr. Landell, as he turned to his desk. Self-control is easy enough if the trial is made in earnest.

A dozen times that day was the torch applied to Mr. Landell's quick temper, and as often was he in danger of blazing out. But he kept his temper till the sun went down, and then he turned his steps homeward, feeling more comfortable in mind than he had for several weeks. There was no shadow on his countenance when he met his wife, but smiling good humor.

"You said 'Don't' as I left this morning."

"Well?"

"And I didn't."

"You are a hero," said Mrs. Landell, laughing.

"Not much of a one. The conquest was easy enough when I drew the sword in earnest."

"And you felt better?"

"Oh, a thousand times. What a curse of one's life this quick temperament is. I am ashamed of myself half a dozen times a day on an average. But I have made a good beginning, and I mean to keep on right until the end."

"Don't," said Mrs. Landell to her husband, as she parted with him for the store at the front door of their home the next morning.

"I won't; God help me!" was answered heartily.

And he didn't, as the pleasant evening that he passed with his wife, most clearly testified.

Reader, if you are quick tempered, "don't."

The Mother.

Scarcely a day passes that we do not hear of the loveliness of woman, the affection of a sister or the devotedness of a wife; and it is the remembrance of such things that cheers and comforts the dreariest hours of life; yet a mother's love far exceeds them in strength, in disinterestedness and in purity. The child of her bosom may have left her and forsaken her; he may have disregarded all her instructions and warnings, he may have become an outcast from society, and none may care for or notice him—yet his mother changes not, nor is her love weakened, and for him her prayers will ascend! Sickness may weary other friends—misfortune drive away familiar acquaintances, and poverty leaves none to lean upon you; yet they affect not a mother's love, but only call into exercise in a still greater degree her tenderness and affection. The mother has duties to perform which are weighty and responsible; the lisping infant must be taught how to live—the thoughtless child must be instructed in wisdom's ways—the tempted youth be advised and warned—the dangers and difficulties of life must be pointed out, and lessons of virtue must be impressed on the mind. Her words, acts, faults, frailties and temper, are all noticed by those who surround her, and impressions in the nursery exert a more powerful influence in forming the character, than do any after instruction.

If passions are unrestrained—if truth is not adhered to—if consistency is not seen—if there be want of affection or a murmuring at the dispensations of Providence; the youthful mind will receive the impression, and subsequent life will develop it; but if all is purity, sincerity, truth, contentment and love, then will the result be a blessing, and many will rejoice in the example and influence of the pious mother.

Harder than Chess Playing

Describing a ride on a locomotive, the Pittsburgh *Post* says:—

The engineer, in the discharge of his duties, has not a moment, from the time he mounts the engine until the trip is completed, that his mind can be relaxed from the most intense application to his arduous task. He must carry in his mind the rate of speed at which he is traveling, not to fall short or over run the time allotted from station to station. He must accurately observe the state of the water, the pressure of steam, the general condition of his engine and of the track. In addition to this, which, of itself, is enough to overburden an ordinary mind, he must be keenly alive to any accidental circumstances upon which the safety of property, of the lives of passengers or employees upon a train, or of property or lives upon the track, depend. His eye or ear must attend to the slightest unusual sound in the machinery, or any indications of anything unusual upon the track. We have more than once seen the abilities, the courage, the presence of mind and promptness of action of an engineer put to the test in a manner which would redound to his credit, were the facts made public; but we seldom hear of the abilities of an engineer, or the responsibilities of his position, excepting in cases of accident, when often whether arising from his fault or otherwise, his life is sacrificed, and always his actions are justly closely scrutinized and criticised.

PROPHECY OF PROGRESS FULFILLED.—Friar Bacon said, "Bridges unsupported by arches can be made to span the foaming current, man shall descend to the bottom of the ocean, safety breathing and treading with firm steps on the golden sands never brightened by the light of day. Call but the powers of Sol and Luna into action, and behold but a single steersman sitting at the helm guiding the vessel which divides the waves with greater rapidity than if she had been filled with a crew of marines toiling at their oars, and the loaded chariot no longer incumbered with the panting steeds, darts on its course with relentless force and rapidity. Set the pure and simple elements to do thy labor; bind the eternal elements and yoke them to the same plow." Suspension and tubular bridges—diving bells and diving suits—steamships—locomotives, these things are not prophesies now, but the familiar companions of our lives.

☞ It is the opinion of a western editor that wood goes further when left out of doors than when well housed.

☞ The sure way to be cheated, is to fancy ourselves more cunning than others.

Don't Think.

Walking in the country one morning, in early spring time, we seated ourselves to rest on a large stone near an orchard gate. Very soon we observed a large man hanging on the topmost limbs of a small apple tree with one hand, while with the other he was cutting off twigs and branches. We bade him good morning.—He answered cheerfully; and we ventured to hint that the tree he had climbed bore a heavy burden. "Yes," he said, "the trees all need pruning, but I can only attend to a few of them. the others wouldn't bear my weight."

"Why don't you fasten your saw to a pole, stand on the ground and prune such limbs as most require it?" we asked.

"Well, I declare," he answered, "that would do—I didn't think of it."

There was a valuable lesson in that confession—"I didn't think of it." It explained why, in many respects, the farmer was not prosperous. He was a hard worker. He endeavored to be economical; but he was always behind. His orchard didn't yield abundantly—his cattle had disease—his grain was often poor—and he could only sell at a low price, *because he didn't think.* He had never learned forethought—he did not know what it was to consider—he did not understand how judicious head-work assists hand work.

Didn't think—that is the sorry explanation of much error—of many a crime—of many a failure—of many a hardship, and many an abuse.

Little boys and girls, bear in mind that whatever advantage you may have at home, in school and business, or in society, unless you think, your lives will be sad and your efforts unsuccessful. Learn, then, while you are young, the art of thinking. To be great and good, you must understand the art of reflection, as well as appreciate the pleasure of memory.

AN EDITOR IN A QUANDRY.—During the overflow at Cairo last spring, the editor of the *Times* there, despatched the following missive to a brother of the craft in another locality, near by:

Dear Mose:—The water has risen surprisingly, and some "kuss" has stolen my boat. I am in the highest story of my house, and have got my head out of the window, hollering to Ed. Willet on the levee. That's the reason this letter comes to you written on a board.

How's Mound City? I am actually fearful that it is not under water! What a happy dog you must be—can get your beer whenever you want! The corporation pumps have not been provided. The water will reach me to-morrow. I'm in a fix—Hull, of the *Gazette*, just passed my window.

The Mayor and Common Council floated down Main street this morning in a drift pile; but as they had no liquor nor cards, I did not see that they enjoyed themselves.

Steamboats continue to navigate the town on the outside of the levee. They do so, however, under the foolish apprehension that the deepest water is there.

TO THE BOYS.—Never marry a girl who is fond of always being in the street—who is fond of going to the theatre—who has a jewelled hand and an empty head—who will see her mother work and toil while she lies in bed and reads novels or feigns sickness—who is ashamed to own her mother because she dresses plain—never learned grammar, or was accustomed to the etiquette of the drawing-room—who is always complaining that she cannot get enough money to dress like Miss So-and-So, or go to parties like Such-a-one—who wears her shoes slipshod, or has a hole in her stockings and is too lazy to mend it. Should you get such a one, depend upon it you will have a dirty, untidy, miserable home and life of it. But the kind, affectionate, tidy girl, who helps her mother, who is always ready and anxious to accommodate her mother, father, brothers and sisters—who is kind to the poor—who dresses neatly and according to her means—who is always cheerful and fond of accommodating others—if you can get such a treasure, your home will be a paradise. Boys, do you hear that?

SEARCH OF A PASTOR.—A congregationalist pastor, in Connecticut, says that "when a pulpit was vacant now-a-days, the church generally appointed a committee to go and make inquiry of some theological professor, or some other eminent divine, for a suitable candidate. The first question usually was, Is he a popular man? the second, is he a good speaker? third, Is he social and easy in his manner? fourth, Is he a man of decided talents? fifth, Can he live on a small salary? And then, as the committee was about taking leave, with hat in hand, and one foot on the doorsill, it is sometimes added—"he's a man of piety, we suppose."'

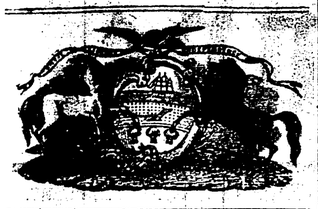
☞ "I say landlord, thats a dirty towel for a man to wipe on."

Landlord, with a look of amazement, replied: "Well you are mighty particular. Sixty or seventy of my boarders have wiped on that towel this morning, and you are the first one to find fault."

☞ Do you understand me now?" thundered a country pedagogue, to an urchin, in whose head he threw an inkstand. "I've got an inkling of what you mean," replied the boy.

☞ A coffin (said an Irishman) is the house a man lives in when he is dead.

The Altoona Tribune.



ALTOONA, PA.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 1859.

☞ Where parties are unknown to us, our rule for advertising is to require payment in advance, or a guarantee from known persons. It is therefore useless for all such to send us advertisements offering to pay at the end of three or six months. Where advertisements are accompanied with the money, whether one, five or ten dollars, we will give the advertiser the full benefit of cash rates.

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Old Virginia in a Stew.

If we are to believe the telegraphic wires, (and we do not see what incentive they have to lie about it,) all Virginia, and especially that part of it lying contiguous to Harper's Ferry, is in a terrible ferment—and all originating out of a mere supposition that the Abolitionists are about to attempt to rescue old John Brown from their clutches. The mere suppositions took the form of rumors—not capable of being traced to any responsible source, but still sufficient to inflame the public mind. A barn and several stacks of wheat were burned one night last week—a certain indication that the rescuers were on hand, whereupon Col. Davis, the officer in command at Charlestown, telegraphed to Gov. Wise for troops, which were sent to the number of a thousand, with field pieces and ammunition, accompanied by Gov. Wise himself, who probably thought there was some truth in a despatch which announced that parties had crossed from Ohio into Virginia at Wheeling.

Now we do not for one moment apprehend any such a thing as an attempt at rescue. Mad as the ultra Abolitionists are, we can not for a moment believe that any considerable number could be found to set their lives upon a cast in such a doubtful enterprize. The Virginians know this too, hence they have simply made fools of themselves in alarming their wives and children unnecessarily.

The army of the chivalry is to encamp at Charlestown until Old Brown and his fellow prisoners have paid the penalty of their folly. It will be a gala day when these misguided men are ushered into eternity—for the chivalry, but the Abolitionists will not be there to haunt their dreams, or dirturb them in their feast of blood.

"Not Yet Quite Dead."

The Democrats and ultra Republicans have been preaching and promulgating the opinion that the American party is dead, to all intents and purposes. The former wrote friendly epitaphs, and the latter claimed to take its place on the political chess board. The American party is not only *not* dead, but in many of the Northern States it holds the balance of power as a seperate and distinct organization apart from Republicans, American-Republicans, or Democrats. At the late election in New York the Americans adopted a part of the Democratic ticket, and the four Democratic candidates for whom they voted were triumphantly elected, notwithstating that a large number of Foreigners cut these candidates on "suspicion." It is hardly safe to say that the American party is dead yet. It is an important element in politics, and will probably play a conspicuous part in the campaign of 1860.

CONGRESS.—Congress will meet on the 5th of December, and already the Solons are congregating at Washington to discuss the affairs of the Nation—something like prize-fighters, who go into training a few weeks before they go into the ring for a fistic bout. We shall no doubt have some sharp sparring during the winter, in addition to the usual quantity of gas and buncombe. The Union Savers, the Freedom Shriekers and the Fire Eaters, will all have a chance to exhaust their pent-up eloquence, and we may reasonably look for spread-eagle speeches as long as the moral law and riot act combined. The Harper's Ferry insurrection and the hanging of Old Brown and his confederates will enter so largely into the business of the session that we presume no attention will be paid to the demands of the people for a Protective Tariff or the passage of a Pacific Rail Road bill. Such a state of affairs is to be regretted, but must be endured until it can be cured—which must be at no distant day.

PEN AND SCISSORS.

☞ Look out for Agnus coin.

☞ A lively day was Tuesday—after the rain.

☞ Court will commence in Ebensburg on Monday, the 5th of December.

☞ The momentous question of to-day is—have you ever a turkey for dinner?

☞ Johnston & Gibbs keep their Livery stock at the American House stable.

☞ Col. John M. Lemon, of Hollidaysburg, shot a white partridge on Friday last.

☞ The Christmas Holidays are approaching. A timely hint to advertisers.

☞ Gen. Michael A. Frank, of Clearfield, will be a candidate for Sergeant-at-Arms of the next Senate.

☞ The Hon. S. A. Douglass is rapidly recovering from his recent illness.

☞ Is there to be no Fall parade of the Blair County Regiment?

☞ Senator Sumner returned in the steamer Canada, on Saturday last.

☞ The British have withdrawn their naval forces from San Juan, with the exception of the Satellite.

☞ A printer named William Smily was murdered and robbed in Indianapolis, on Monday night last.

☞ Large quantities of silver ore continue to arrive at San Francisco from Carson's Valley.

☞ The official returns of the New Jersey election show that the majority for Olden, (op.) is 1,629.

☞ The physician of the Utica Asylum has faith in the ultimate restoration of Gerrit Smith.

☞ A woman named Kerr, drowned herself in the Monongahela river, near Pittsburgh, on Friday last.

☞ The Franklin High School Building, in Martinsburg, is rapidly approaching completion.

☞ The Post office will be open for one hour after the arrival of each mail—morning, noon, and evening, to-day.

☞ The name of the mother of the Fostoria foundling is Sarah Alcott, and her place of residence is Allegheny city.

☞ Five counterfeiters and mail robbers were arrested in Warren on Sunday last, and taken to Buffalo for trial. A good haul.

☞ Four hundred dollars were collected for old John Brown's wife, at a meeting held by the sympathizers, in Boston, on Saturday evening.

☞ No election for Directors of the Central Bank took place on Monday—the matter being adjourned over—in all probability indefinitely postponed.

☞ The Erie Rail Road is to be sold under a foreclosure by the first mortgage bond-holders, for non-payment of interest.

☞ Sign painters should learn to punctuate. There is nothing so shocking to the nerves of a printer as a wrong pointed sign.

☞ Murray Whallon, Esq., has resigned the office of Collector of the port of Erie, and Charles M. Tibbals has been appointed to fill the vacancy.

☞ Harkins Ott, one of the oldest Engineers on the Pa. Rail Road, died at his residence, in Wilmore, on the 5th inst.

☞ The momentous question of to-day is—have you ever a turkey for dinner?

☞ The Philadelphia "Ledger" is now printed on paper made from the fibre of Sorghum, or Chinese Sugar Cane, after the juice has been extracted.

☞ T. P. Fenton, Esq., formerly of Ebensburg, has been elected Prosecuting Attorney of Leavenworth City, Kansas. Good for Tom.

☞ The petition for a writ of error from John Brown to the Supreme Court of Appeals of Virginia, was denied on Friday last.

☞ The double track on the Pennsylvania Rail Road is completed as far as Spruce Creek. The trains commenced running on the new track last week.

☞ John O'Donnel proposes giving his friends "fits," and John is just the man who can do it. His shop is in Main street.

☞ The Democrats of New York have nominated Wm. F. Havemyer as their candidate for Mayor, and Samuel J. Tilden for corporation counsel.

☞ There are eight hundred convicts in the Ohio Penitentiary. Quite a respectable "popperlashun"—in numbers, we mean.

☞ The Johnstown Tribune hoists the name of Simon Cameron and Edward Bates for President and Vice President of these United States.

☞ Sir Grantly Berkley, the English Nimrod, who has been hunting buffalo on the western prairies, passed here on his way home, on Friday last.

☞ Mr. Nichols is likely to supercede Mr. Cullen as President of the Reading Rail Road Company. Mr. Nichols is the Superintendent of the road.

☞ Brant's City Hall, in Harrisburg, is to be opened as a Hotel, on the European plan, on or about the 1st of January next.

☞ Col. John G. Given and Maj. T. A. Maguire, well-known citizens of Cambria county, have connected themselves with the Davenport Daily Democrat and News.

☞ Fires in Mobile on the 11th inst. destroyed $50,000 worth of property, and a fire in New Orleans on the 13th swept away eighty-three tenements.

☞ Quite a number of Cameron Clubs have lately been organized in various sections of the State. Simon points up!

☞ The painters are putting the finishing touches upon the new building for the resident Engineer of the Pennsylvania Rail Road.

☞ R. B. Johnston, the Hollidaysburg Banker, has just erected a building a shade ahead of anything in the town over the hill.

☞ Foster & Fleeson, of the Pittsburgh Dispatch, were tried in Greensburg last week for libelling a lawyer, and acquitted.

☞ Prof. Lowe did not leave for Europe in his mammoth balloon, on Saturday last—owing to the weather. Whenever he does go, we shall make a note of it.

☞ Brownsville has *not* been captured and reduced to ashes by the Mexican outlaw Cortinas, in spite of all the telegraphic despatches to that effect.

☞ Mulloney read in a paper "Give your children fresh air." "So say I, bedad—be rayson av which I don't fill me broken windys wid ould hats and coats."

☞ George Herrick has opened a Restaurant in Main street, next door to Nagley's Hotel. George understands the business.

Benj. E. Hewit, Esq., shot at, and wounded a large deer, on Brush Run, one day last week. He pursued him until night overtook him, but he hid not overtake the venison.

☞ Miramon's army, having been deserted by their leader, have pronounced in favor of Santa Anna. Old "Santy" has probably been waiting for some time for his turn to go in and plunder.

☞ The argument for a new trial in the case of Thomas G. Rutherford, convicted of turning the Western House of Refuge into a private harem, has been postponed until next Saturday.

☞ A cub bear, weighing about 100 pounds, was shot on the plank road between Wilmore and Ebensburg, one day last week. These varmints are said to be unusually plenty in the "State of Camberry" this year.

☞ Eli Green, one of the colored insurgents at Harper's Ferry, is the same darkey who escaped from Gaysport several years ago, during a melee between Parsons, his reputed owner, and some abolitionists.

☞ Gov. Weller, of California, has appointed Judge H. P. Hann, formerly of Kentucky, United States Senator, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the death of the Hon. David C. Broderick.

☞ The Philadelphia authorities commenced demolishing the market sheds on Market street, between Third and Front streets on Monday. They have occupied the street for nearly two hundred years.

☞ Mrs. Clark, of Madison, Ga., a lady ninety-two years old, was baptized on the last Sabbath in October. A case for those who believe that there is no salvation except through *infant* baptism.

☞ If you have nothing but pork and sour crant for dinner to-day, give thanks, and reflect how many poor devils in the world would, if they but could, make a hearty meal on dry bread.

☞ The last Tyrone Star contains the particulars of an interview between Rev. Kaye and the wife of Rev. Keesey. Mr. Keesey, it appears, left Greensburg on the 10th of October, ostensibly to come to this place to preach, but a reality went with a prostitute named Minnie Sarver, in the direction of Canada, leaving behind him a broken-hearted wife and two children. He resided at one time in this place, and at another time in Tyrone City. If the devil does not assign him a prominent place in hell, then there is no use for such an institution.

☞ Pickleharns and Bitterctus, the Roman gladiators of the Standard and Allegheniun are getting "weak in the knees"—evidently on the point of being played out. Sorry for this, for, as a disinterested party, we enjoyed those tilts hugely.

☞ Thaddeus Hyatt proposes furnishing the public with a photograph and autograph of old John Brown for one dollar, eighty per cent. of which is to be appropriated toward a fund for the benefit of Brown's wife and children. He sold thirty-five of them on the 15th inst.

☞ "Der Umabhangige Beobachter," published in Johnstown, asks us for an exchange. We should like to accommodate our "yarman" friends, but we already get the Huntingdon Journal, and several other papers that we are unable to read.

☞ Morrow B. Lowry, of Erie, purposes paying a visit to old Ossawottamie Brown. As the Virginians are in a high state of excitement at present, Morrow will do well to put a snaffle bit bridle upon his tongue before he leaves home.

☞ No less than six passenger trains dine daily at Altoona.—*Standard.*

The passengers on the two morning trains breakfast—those on the noon train dine—and the passengers on the three evening trains take supper—in Altoona. "Verily, if one would learn the news he should always go from home."

☞ The latest news from Harper's Ferry is that every thing is quiet, but that Gov. Wise had received despatches from the Marshal of Ohio, and Gov. Chase, advising him that a force of from 600 to 1000 was about to leave that State, under John Brown, jr., to rescue John Brown. All fudge!

☞ A man in Hartford, Conn., has made application for a divorce from his wife on the ground of her being lazy! This is one of the cool jokes of the season, and reminds us of the Sandwich Islander who called upon the blacksmith of a whaler to have his teeth filed sharp in order to bite his wife's nose off, because she would not go out and catch fish for him.

A Most Thrilling Adventure

Last Monday morning, about eleven o'clock, says the Portsmouth (Ohio) *Tribune*, the new wire suspeusion bridge spanning the Scioto just above its confluence at this place with the Ohio, was undermined and prostrated by the force of the Scioto current. That morning, at an early hour, Mr. E. B. Cassidy, and two other citizen's of this place, crossed the bridge in a buggy, on a hunting expedition. They were out in the woods all day, and had not heard of the fall of the bridge. They returned in the evening, and arrived at the crossing after dark. A span of the bridge reaching from the shore out over a portion of the river still remained as it had been left by the structure breaking in two.—The hunters, all in fine spirits, and unconscious of danger, started over the bridge The driver noticed the horse hesitated after going some distance, and urged the animal forward. The poor brute advanced a step or two, and again stopped. The driver got out, and to his horror discovered the bridge gone, and the horse's head projecting over the yawning gulf. They were on the very brink of death! Another step forward would have plunged them down into the raging torrent, where the angry waters rushed like a race-horse to the Ohio.

A DECIDED CHARACTER.—Miss Lucy Stewart, of South Scituate, Mass., recently died at the great age of 96 years. The following account is given of her strange personal history:

Her father was a white man—a sea captain—and her mother a full blooded Indian. She was brought up in one of the first families in the town of Scituate, and had until within a year or two lived in the family down to the fifth generation. Within that time she had been unable to support herself and became an inmate of the almshouse. She was a woman of good manners and possessed a great deal of pride. She was much averse to going to the almshouse, and until the day of her death was in the habit of dressing in a very gay style. She requested, just before she died, to be laid out in her bright pink dress, and to have on her lace turban, which was decked very gaily with feathers and showy ribbons, and her kerchief round her neck. She also wished her coffin to be lined with flowers. She also requested to be buried in the burial ground with and near the family she had lived with most of her days. She wished to be carried to the Methodist church and have the Episcopal minister attend her funeral. She requested the minister to state (which he did) that she had never been out of the limits of the town, and had never entered a church door until she was carried in for burial.

BIOGRAPHY OF A KNIFE.—The Cleveland *Herald* relates the history and travels of a jack knife, which passes to the "homeliest man" that can be found It says that about the year 1845, Dr. J. V. C. Smith of this city, was presented with a large jack knife to which tradition assigned a long list of homely owners, dating back to the early days of New England.—In that year the Dr. met the Lieut. General of the British Provinces, W. R. Stephenson, and, struck by his superior claims, at once surrendered the valuable relic to his keeping. In 1851, the Lieut. General met Ossian E. Dodge, and with eloquent speeches on either side, the knife was transferred. Whilst giving a concert in 1853, Dodge was accosted by Mr. J. S. A. French, of Nashua, N. H. Stunned for the moment by the personal appearance of the gentleman, Dodge could scarcely answer the question, but hurriedly presented the knife with a few words of explanation. In the possession of Mr. French the knife has remained until a few days since, when, conceiving he had grown handsomer than of old, he returned the relic to Dodge. On Wednesday last, Mr. Dodge, impressed with the wrong he was daily committing, in keeping the relic from its rightful owner, presented it to Charles F. Brown, of the Cleveland Plaindealer.—*Boston Advertiser.*

AFFECTING INCIDENT.—The scene of the wreck of the Royal Charter on the coast of England, was at latest advices a most harrowing one. One peculiarly affecting incident is thus related. A poor young woman was searching along the beach to endeavor to find some trace of her husband, about whose fate she was uncertain. She discovered a waistcoat which had just been washed ashore, and which had been hung up in front of the tent by one of the coast guard. Almost frantically she pulled it down. It proved to be that of her husband, a man named Barrett, who had been painter aboard the Royal Charter. The grief of the poor widow was almost heartrending to witness. Some of the standers by in an attempt to comfort her, suggested that she might be mistaken. "Oh, no," said she, "here is my own work upon it. My husband, my husband, God look down upon me."

A WOMAN PASSING AS A MAN FOR FORTY YEARS.—A most extraordinary revelation was made at an inquest recently, before the Coroner for Salford, England. The body of a man was found in the sluice at Mode Wheel, on the river Irwell, and in the evening an inquest was held. On inquiry, it was found that the deceased, who went by the name of Henry Stokes, was, in fact, a woman; that she has worked as a brickbetter for about a quarter of a century; that she has been twice married during that period; had kept a beer shop in Manchester during the early part of her career, but in every way conducted herself as a man. The jury after an examination, returned a verdict of "found drowned."

KAMEHAMEHA PLAYING SICKLES.—The correspondent of the New York *Times*, at Honolulu, affords us interesting particulars of the homicide perpetrated by King Kamehameha. The King, with the Queen, Prince Royal, and a numerous suite, leaving Hawaii upon a Summer excursion, visited the Island of Lahaina, where their stay was brought to a close on the 13th of September. Ordering the royal yacht to prepare for return to the capital, the King, on the morning of that day, embarked alone on the vessel, leaving his attendants to follow at their leisure. A calm delayed the yacht, and at night, taking a small boat, his Majesty returned to shore, and proceeding to the lodgings of Mr. Henry Nelson, his Private Secretary, entered into a violent quarrel with that gentleman, and presently shot him fatally in the breast. The cause of the difficulty is not ascertained. Surmises as to the indescretions on the part of the Queen, obtained momentary currency, but were instantly discredited. No statements have been made by the official papers on the subject. Mr. Nelson was formerly a resident of New York, and from the accession of Kamahameha, until the fatal quarrel, had enjoyed the monarch's unlimited confidence and regard.

A NOBLE LITTLE GIRL.—The Warrentown *Flag* contains an account of a death, last Thursday week, of a little girl of eight or nine years, daughter of Mr. Traverse Gough, living a few miles from Haymarket. In the absence of all older than herself, her clothing took fire. She first tried to suppress the flames herself; then she asked her little sister of four years to throw water on her; but the little one ran, instead, to call the neighbors. When they came, they found her lying out in the yard, and, in reply to the question "what she was doing there?" she said, she thought if she staid in the house that the house would catch fire, and burn the baby up too. What a noble, sensible remark for one so young! She retained all her faculties to the last, conversed freely, and bore her sufferings with a fortitude truly remarkable for one of her age. The interesting little creature deserved a better fate.

COUNTERFEITERS HUNG.—An excited crowd of Missourians, residing in the vicinity of Mascoutah, Ill., recently found three men in their midst, with about ten thousand dollars worth of counterfeit money on their persons and determined to put a stop to such high-handed violation of law at once, they took two of these men before Judge Lynch, tried, condemned and hung them on the spot. The third one, being a citizen of Illinois, and thinking it the duty of Illinois, to honor their laws, the Missourians handed him over to the folks of Mascoutah, to be dealt with as they might see fit.

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MEDICAL IMPOSSIBILITIES.

For a long time a certain class of diseases have baffled the skill and practice of the most eminent members of the regular medical faculty. Foremost among these we might instance epilepsy or falling fits. Happily now by the skill and inventive genius of an eminent chemist of Baltimore, Md., this disease has been brought within the sound of a cure. We allude to the preparation called the Vegetable Extract Epileptic Pills, invented and prepared by *Dr. Seth S. Hance*, of 108 Baltimore Street, Baltimore, Md.—Since their discovery many persons who had given up all hope of ever being cured, have been restored to the full enjoyment of health. Prominent among these we might enumerate Mr. Harrison Lightfoot, of Huntsville, Alabama. Mr. L. has suffered as much from Epilepsy, as any other person in the world: never knowing what it was to pass a week without having an attack, and often falling in the streets of Huntsville. He is now fully restored and has not had an attack for more than a year. Dr. Hance's Pills have been the sure cause of this cure. These pills also cure all modifications of Fits, Spasms, Cramps &c., and are very serviceable for persons of weak nerves. Dr. Hance, sends them to any part of the country on the receipt of a remittance. Price, one box, $3; two boxes $5; twelve boxes $24;—Address SETH S. HANCE, 108 Baltimore Street, Baltimore, Md.

WHAT IT WOULD TAKE TO FEED THE SUN.—A philosopher has calculated that the amount of light which flows from the solar orb could be scarcely produced by the daily combustion of two hundred globes of tallow, each equal to the earth in magnitude. A sphere of combustible matter, much larger than the sun itself, would be consumed every ten years in maintaining its wonderful brilliancy. It would be a splendid sight to see an luminse transparency illuminated by means of one of these tallow globes, and having written upon it, "Buy all your garments at the Brown Stone Clothing Hall of Rockhill & Wilson, Nos. 603 and 605 Chesnut Street, above Sixth, Philadelphia."

BOERHAVE'S

HOLLAND BITTERS

THE CELEBRATED HOLLAND REMEDY FOR

DYSPEPSIA,

DISEASE OF THE KIDNEYS,

LIVER COMPLAINT,

WEAKNESS OF ANY KIND

FEVER AND ACUE,

And the various affections consequent upon a disordered *STOMACH OR LIVER.*

Such as Indigestion, Acidity of the Stomach, Colicky Pains Heartburn, Loss of Appetite, Despondency, Costiveness Blind and Bleeding Piles. In all Nervous, Rheumatic and Neuralgic Affections, it has in numerous instances proved highly beneficial, and in others effected a decided cure.

This is a purely vegetable compound, prepared on strictly scientific principles, after the manner of the celebrated Holland Professor, Boerhave: Because of its great success in the most of the European States, its introduction into the United States was intended more especially for those of our fatherland scattered here and there over the face of this mighty country. Meeting with great success among them, it now calls on the American public, knowing that its truly wonderful medical virtues must be acknowledged.

It is particularly recommended to those persons whose constitutions may have been impaired by the continuous use of ardent spirits, or other forms of dissipation. Generally instantaneous in effect, it finds its way directly to the seat of life, thrilling and quickening every nerve, raising up the drooping spirit, and, in fact, infusing new health and vigor in the system.

CAUTION.—The great popularity of this delightful roma has induced many imitations, which the public should guard against purchasing. Be not persuaded to buy anything else until you have given Boerhave's Holland Bitters a fair trial. One bottle will convince you how infinitely superior it is to all these imitations.

☞ Sold at $1.00 per bottle, or six bottles for $5, by the SOLE PROPRIETORS,

BENJ. PAGE, JR., & CO.,

Manufacturing Pharmaceutists and Chemists,

PITTSBURGH, PA.

T. W. Dyott & Sons, Philadelphia; Barnes & Park, New York; John D. Park, Cincinnati; Barnard, Adams & Co. St. Louis; A. ROUSH, Altoona, Pa., and by Druggists and Merchants generally throughout the United States and Canadas. [October 14, 1858.–1y

Iron City College

$40.00

Pays for a full course in the Iron City College, the largest most extensively patronized and best organized Commercial School in the United States.

Four Large Halls.

For Writing, Commercial Calculations, Book-Keeping and Lectures.

Usual time to complete a full course, from 6 to 10 weeks Every Student, upon graduating, is guaranteed to be competent to manage the Books of any Business and qualified to earn a salary of from

$500 to $1,000.

Students enter at any time—No Vacation—Review at pleasure.

First Premium for Best Writing

Awarded this Institution. The best and greatest variety of Penmanship in any one Hall of the Union, is found here.

☞ Ministers Sons received at half price.

For full information, Circular, Specimens of Business and Ornamental Writing and Embellished View of the College, enclose five letter stamps to F. W. JENKINS.

Sept. 22, 1859.—1y Pittsburgh, Pa.

Bakery and Grocery Store.

THE SUBSCRIBER KEEPS CONSTANTLY on hand

Fresh-Baked Bread, Cakes, &c.

Fresh Butter, Bacon, &c.

Also, a choice lot of SEGARS and TOBACCO.

JACOB RINK,

Nov. 10. Virginia Street, below Annie Street.

LEVI RILING,

IMPORTER OF

WINES, BRANDIES, GINS, &c.

Allegheny Street, North Ward,

ALTOONA, PA.

A large stock of all kinds of LIQUORS of the very best Brands, will be kept constantly on hand, and will be sold in lots to suit purchasers, at prices as reasonable as they can be had anywhere in the country. [May 12, '59–tf

NOW FOR FITS!—THE subscriber desires to inform the citizens of Altoona that he has just received his stock of

FALL AND WINTER CLOTHS,

Which he is prepared to make up to order on short notice and on as reasonable terms as any other Tailor in the place. JOHN O'DONNELL.

Altoona, Nov. 17th, 1859.

LEVI'S PREPARATION FOR EXterminating RATS, MICE, ROACHES, ANTS, and Bed-bugs without danger in its use under any circumstances, for sale at the Drug Store of

Jan. 24, '59–tf] G. W. KESSLER.

LUMBER FOR SALE.

60,000 SHINGLES, 50,000 LATHES, and all kinds of BUILDING MATERIAL, lower than the lowest, for Cash. Apply to JOHN SHOEMAKER.

ALL WANTING FARMS IN A DELIGHTFUL CLIMATE, rich soil, and secure from frosts. See advertisement of Hammonton Lands in another column.

TO all wanting Farms. See advertisement of Hammonton Lands.

GLASS 8x10 TO 20x24, AND CUT to order by G. W. KESSLER.

GRAND DISPLAY

AT THE

"MODEL."

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE THE pleasure of announcing to their friends and customers as well as the public at large that they are now receiving their

FALL STOCK OF GOODS,

which have been selected with care and bought at prices which will enable us to offer inducements to purchasers. Our stock of

LADIES' DRESS GOODS

Is large and varied, including all the newest styles of *Prints, Ginghams, Delaines, Poplins, Valencias, Plain and Printed Merinos, Black and Fancy Silks, &c. Also, Shawls, Cloaks and Cloth Dusters,* which have been brought very low and will be sold at a small advance.

FOR THE GENTS,

We have Black and Fancy Cassimeres, Satinets, Jeans, Tweeds, &c. Our stock of FLANNELS and DOMESTICS is large, consisting of Muslins, Tickings, Denhams, Drillings, Bed Blankets and Comforts, &c.

We have also a fine stock of

GROCERIES HARD WARE

Queensware, Wooden & Willow Ware,

BOOTS & SHOES,

Zephy Knit Goods, Gloves and Hosiery, and Notions of all kinds. We wish to call especial attention to our large stock of

All-Wool, Wool Filling, List and Rag Carpets,

Bought at Auction, and which we can offer at prices that will defy competition.

GROCERIES for sale by Wholesale at City prices with Freight only added.

All kinds of Country Produce taken at the highest market price. We respectfully invite all persons in want of cheap and good GOODS, to call and be convinced that we have a Model Stock at Model Prices.

J. & J. LOWTHER.

Altoona, Oct. 13, '59.

JUST OPENED

A STOCK OF

Entirely New Good.

R. A. O. KERR

WOULD INFORM THE GOOD people of Altoona, the surrounding country, and the "rest of mankind," that he has just returned from the city with a large stock of NEW GOODS, which he offers at reasonable prices, at the stand formerly occupied by R. Kerr, and recently by W. O'Neall, on Main street. His stock is the only one in town which is

ENTIRELY NEW,

and he flatters himself that he has something to please the eye of of every lady, and suit the wants of every gentleman. He deems it unnecessary to enumerate all the articles on the shelves, (as to do so would require a whole newspaper,) but would say that he has everything in the line of

LADIES' DRESS GOODS

which this meridian calls for, and all just suited to the season, together with a well selected assortment of House Furnishing Goods, such as Carpets, Window Blinds, Shades, &c., which will commend themselves.

FOR GENTLEMEN,

he has a great variety—from which they can not fail to make a satisfactory selection. He has also a tip-top assortment of GROCERIES as good, fresh and cheap as can be had this side of the place of growing or manufacture. Also, HARDWARE, QUEENSWARE, and everything necessary to complete a store in a thriving town like Altoona.

All he asks is that the people call and examine his stock, which he will at all times take pleasure in showing, and he feels confident that he can send them away rejoicing, if not in the purchase of just such an article as they wanted, at the remembrance of having looked upon the handsomest stock of Goods ever exhibited in the town.

Altoona, Oct. 20, 1859.

LOOK OUT FOR YOUR HEAD!

A poet gives the following advice to young men on going to parties:

In going to parties, just mind what your at;
Beware of your head and take care of your HAT.
Least you find that a favorite son of your mother,
Has an ache in the one and a brick in the other.

Speaking about hats and heads—the subscriber would respectfully announce that he has just returned from the city with a large and well selected stock of Men and Boys'

HATS AND CAPS, OF ALL STYLES,

FOR FALL AND WINTER,

of every color and shape. Also, a good assortment of

LADIES AND MISSES FURS,

of different varieties, all of which will be sold

CHEAP FOR CASH.

Persons in want of anything in the above line, will please give me a call before purchasing elsewhere, as I am determined to sell at the very lowest possible prices.

Store on Virginia street, opposite the Lutheran church.

Altoona, April 28, 1859-tf. JESSE SMITH.

Stoves, Tin & Sheet Iron Ware,

SPOUTING, &C.

JAS. W. RIGG WOULD RESpectfully inform the citizens of Altoona and vicinity that he keeps constantly on hand a large assortment of *Cooking, Parlor, Office and Shop Stoves,* of all styles and sizes, to suit the wants of all, which he will sell at low prices, on reasonable terms.

He also keeps on hand a large stock of *Tin and Sheet Iron Ware,* consisting of all articles for culinary purposes—*Coal Scuttles, Stove Pipe, &c.*

He has also purchased the right of sale in Blair county, of R. V. JONES'

IMPROVED SAUSAGE STUFFER,

an invention which needs only to be seen to be appreciated and should be possessed by every farmer, butcher or those requiring such a machine.

☞ Particular attention paid to putting up SPOUTING, either in town or country. Spouting painted and put up on the most reasonable terms. [april 14, 1859-1y

1859. Fall Trade 1859.

A CARD.—THE UNDERSIGNED have just received and are now offering the largest and most varied stock of

FRESH GROCERIES

ever brought to this Market! In connection with the above, they are constantly supplied with choice Brands, of the various grades of

FLOUR!

Also, Bacon, Cheese, Whale, Tanner's and Lard Oils; Mess Pork;

Together with all kinds of Pittsburgh Manufactured Articles, all of which will be sold low for cash. The Merchants of this place are invited to call before purchasing elsewhere. At the Old Stand

Oct. 27, '59–2m.] WM. M. GORSLY & CO.,

271 Liberty St., opposite Eagle Hotel, Pittsburgh.

TO THE PUBLIC.—THE SUBSCRIBER would respectfully announce to the citizens of Altoona and vicinity, that he has opened a

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL

TIN, SHEET-IRON WARE & STOVE STORE

on Helen street, between Annie and Julia streets, East Altoona, where he will keep constantly on hand a large assortment of everything in his line, which he will dispose of on reasonable terms.

ROOFING & SPOUTING

put up on short notice. He also manufactures LEADER Iron Spouting, which is said to be much superior to galvanized sheet-iron or tin.

All kinds of job work promptly attended to. A share of public patronage is solicited. SAMUEL I. FRIES.

Oct. 27th, '59–tf.

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE.—The subscriber offers at Private Sale the HOUSE and LOT now occupied by her, on the corner of Adaline and Julia streets, East Altoona. The House is a good Two-Story Frame Building, containing a Hall, Parlor, Dining-Room and Kitchen on the first floor, four good sleeping rooms on the second floor, & a finished Attic. The lot is in good order.

Persons wishing to view the premises and obtain further information will call upon the subscriber.

MARGT. M. McCRUM.

Altoona, Aug. 11th, 1859–tf.

MEDICATED FUR CHEST PROTECTOR, A SAFE SHIELD AGAINST THOSE fearful diseases Bronchitis, Coughs, Colds, and other affections of the Lungs, which arise from the exposed state of the chest, *according to fashion* and the continual changes of our Climate, for sale at the Drug Store of G. W. KESSLER.

SHOE Business and Factories can be carried on profitably at Hammonton See advertisement of Hammonton Lands.

CAN BE BOUGHT AT H. TUCH'S, Winchester & Co's Patent Shoulder Seam Fine Shirts Dec. 9, 1858.

PURE WHITE LEAD AND ZINC paint; also Chrome Green, Yellow, Paris Green, &c ground oil at [1-tf] KESSLER'S

SPECTACLES AND EYE PRESERVers for sale at KESSLER'S

Altoona Tribune.

ALTOONA MAIL SCHEDULE.

MAILS CLOSE.

Eastern Way &c	7 30 A.M.
Western "	8 00 A.M.
Hollidaysburg,	8 00 "
Western Through and Hollidaysburg,	7 00 P.M.
Eastern Through Mail	8 10 "

MAILS OPEN.

Eastern Through Mail,	8 20 A.M.
Western Through and Hollidaysburg,	7 40 "
Eastern Way,	11 15 A.M.
Western "	7 20 P.M.
Hollidaysburg	7 25 "

Office open for the transaction of business from 7.00 A.M. to 8 P.M., during the week, and from 7.50 to 8.50 o'clock, on Sunday.

Jan 4, '57-tf] JOHN SHOEMAKER, P. M.

RAILROAD SCHEDULE.

Express Train East	arrives	9,22 P. M.,	leaves	9,40 P. M.
" " West	"	8,20 A. M.	"	8,40 A. M.
Fast " East	"	7,30 A. M.	"	8,00 A. M.
" " West	"	8,45 P. M.,	"	9,05 P. M.
Mail " East	"	11,15 A. M.	"	11,35 A. M.
" " West	"	7,25 P. M.,	"	7,45 P. M.

The HOLLIDAYSBURG BRANCH connects with Express Train East and West, with Mail Train East and West, and with Local Freight Eastward and Westward.

The BLAIRSVILLE BRANCH connects with Johnstown Day Train East and West, Express Train West and Mail Train East.

November 29, 1858. THOS. A. SCOTT, *Sup't.*

LOCAL ITEMS.

THANKSGIVING DAY.—It is hardly necessary to inform our readers that to-day is Thanksgiving Day. Those who can "dress in fine linen and fare sumptuously" on turkey and pound cake know it, and those who dress indifferently, and dine upon humbler fare know it too. To-day twenty-two sovereign States unite in returning thanks to *God* for the blessings bestowed upon *the people* during the past year.

Thanksgiving was originally a Yankee institution, but custom has made it an annual holliday in most of the middle and Southern States as well, until its annual return is hailed with as much joy as the return of Christmas, or New Year's day.

The fact is, we have too few hollidays. In Catholic countries, the observance of hollidays is a religious duty, and they have not a few of them. Even Protestant England has two hollidays to our one, either to celebrate important events in its history, or to commemorate epochs in the life of our Saviour. We have four hollidays—Christmas, New Year, Fourth of July, and Thanksgiving day, and two more which are partially deserved, viz: Washington's Birth day, and the anniversary of the battle of New Orleans. The last two should be generally observed, and others set apart for the edification, relaxation and amusement of the people. The fetes and festivals of the Romans made them a hardy and unconquerable nation—why should we not take example by them?

We presume the works of the Rail Road Company will be closed during the day, and also most, if not all the business places in town, and the Churches opened—at least so it ought to be. It is to be hoped that the day will be spent rationally by all in the fear of God, and that it will not be taken advantage of by the depraved to desecrated by drunkenness and debauchery.

A CHAMPION FOR WOMEN.—Let the women rejoice—a champion comes to their aid from Lowa. Unlike Lucy Stone Blackwell or Antoinette Brown, he does not advocate their right to exercise the elective franchise, or follow pursuits heretofore confined to the masculine gender, but he goes in for treating women kindly. Either our correspondent had any particular case in his mind's eye, and thus covertly digs some fellow under the fifth rib for acting ugly to his wife, or whether he merely furnishes us the article as an essay, in order to let the public have a taste of his qualifications at composition, we are at a loss to know, but we give him the benefit of either, by publishing his article as we received it, (not having had time to correct it) and hope that Bonner, of the New York *ledger* will at once secure him as a contributor:

how Mean use their wives

How kind ought every man to be to his partner for life. how kind he ought to treat her in every respect of kindness and duty of respect. They ought to use her better or as good as an infant. And never allow her to labor too hard in the garden or on the wood pile or in the house for fear they might injure themselves. How Careful men Should be to use flesh of their kind. Some men or people quarrel kick Strike and abuse them ine the most cruel manner. Most men want to know better how to Cook than his wife or their wives. then the victuals that plase them then they mnest quarrel and chase them but worse than all Some men use their wives as farmers girls, do split brooms but use them for sweeping the parlor then for scrubbing the kitchen then for ovenswabs and when the splits is all burnt off take the handles for cow knockers oshame where is thy wonderful blush of hard hearted men upon the tender females kind hearts

By James S Condron of logan township

A SUGGESTION.—It is highly credible to our community to say that we have very few among us who are so poor as to be unable to make both ends meet—nevertheless there may be some poverty in our midst nobody knows of—and, in view of the fact that we are just entering upon winter, there may be more of it, in a month or two from this time. Poverty is no crime, and to alleviate the sufferings of our fellow mortals is strictly enjoined upon us in sacred writ. "He that giveth to the poor, lendeth to the Lord." We would therefore suggest that, in order to form the neucles of a fund for the relief of the poor, that a collection be taken up in all of our Churches to-day. A considerable amount of money might be raised in this way, for people who can afford it would be likely to contribute more on a holliday than on any other occasion. The experiment has been successfully tried in a number of places.

THE PARADE.—Preparations for the celebration of the introduction of Gas and Water into the borough are progressing steadily. There will be three, if not four bands of music in attendance, and we have reason to believe that quite a number of military companies and civic associations from neighboring towns will join us. In our next we shall probably be able to give something more definite on the subject.

RELIGIOUS.—The Rev. Mr. Sembower will preach in the Lutheran Church to-day at 10½ o'clock, A. M.

At 2 o'clock, P. M. all the Public Schools will meet in the Presbyterian Church, when appropriate addresses will be delivered by Clergymen of different denominations.

HEROISM.—Here is another case of heroism, brought to light by the late heroic act of McCoy, in saving the life of Neff's child, near Barre.—It is from the pen of Capt. Smith, of the Johnstown *Echo*:—

"Some years ago, in the palmy days of the Allegheny Portage railroad, we got on the engine of a freight train at Wilmore to ride to the head of Plane No. 1. On the way down, a short distance below the "Half-way House," now Summerhill, a small child was seen sitting directly on the rail of the track on which we were running. We saw the child, and the sight caused the blood to tingle in our veins. In an instant the engineer whistled down brakes, and reversed the engine, but the headway of the heavy train could not be suddenly checked, and we were rushing fast towards the unconscious child. While we felt that the death of the child was inevitable, the fireman cautiously descended to the step of the engine, and springing off, ran with the fleetness of a deer. Never shall we forget the awful suspense of those few moments. With what breathless, terrible fear and solicitude did we watch the flight of the fireman. He gained sufficiently on the engine to reach the child just as it was about to be crushed into a shapeless mass. The scene was thrilling indeed. The lives of both were in peril. As quick as lightning he seized the child, and the moment he did so the bumper (for at that time there were no cow-catchers) struck his shoulder, and sent him whirling, but soon gaining his equilibrium, he stood proudly erect with the child safe in his stalwart arms. At that moment with what joy and admiration did we gaze upon the manly form of Isaac Wike, as he stood folding to his noble heart the child which he had rescued from a horrible death at the peril of his own life. Mr. Wike is now a citizen of Wilmore, in this county, beloved and respected for his generous impulses and many noble traits of character."

A MODEL HOUSE.—The house just erected by the Rail Road Company for the residence of Mr. Wilson, the Resident Engineer is a model house in every respect. Not only does the outside realize our idea of architectural beauty, but the inside is finished off in such a manner as to make it a model house. All the rooms are provided with hot air registers and closets. Those on the first floor have Italian marble mantles—those on the second and third stories, marble wash stands. There are gas fixtures in every room. There is also a cooking range in the kitchen, a bath house, a pantry, and in short every convenience the heart could desire. The painters, under the charge of Mr. J. W. Webber, are just finishing the oak grainings of three of the rooms, in a style of excellence unsurpassed, having already painted the remainder of the house with virgin white brilliant enough to dazzle the eyes. The plumbing and gas fitting is the work of Geo. A. Ogelsby, a very finished workman. The winding stairs with their splendid balusters and railings—superior to anything of the kind ever put up in this place, were made and erected by Thomas M'Minn, than whom few, if any, understand that branch of business better. Whenever we get rich—which we do not expect to be for some time to come—we shall build just such a house.

AN OASIS IN THE DESERT.—Everybody will remember Tuesday morning as being dark and gloomy. Well, just about the time the work of the day had got under full headway in the *Tribune* office, when one proprietor was digging away at a job and the other was circulating the little jobber—the old jour was getting a job on the press, an assistant called to our aid from over the hill was peering over his "specks," demurely making items at the nonpariel case—the devil senior setting editorial and the devil junior rolling—all no doubt impressed with the fact that "the poor man's work is never done," in tripped a little fairy form with something nicely done up in a newspaper, which upon closer inspection proved to be a nice jelly cake from "Jane and Helen." Such treats are not of every day occurrence, hence we were not surprised to see the sun shine in a few hours afterwards. Jane and Helen have our thanks, and may they both get husbands who can appreciate their worth.

OUR CONGRESSMAN.—The *Register*, speaking of our Congressman, says:—

"We understand that Mr. Blair, our highly esteemed and popular Member of Congress from this District, will leave for Washington on Monday next, to enter upon the duties of his place at the opening of the session. Mr. B., (we may take this occasion to say,) is a gentleman of no ordinary ability, a ripe scholar, and a clear and forcible speaker, and of such habits of application to business, and such integrity of character and personal worth, as that we risk nothing in asserting that he will soon command a prominent and influential position among his fellow-members. He goes from a district deeply interested in the Tariff question; and will have a watchful regard especially to the wants of the Laboring men; and if proper protectien is not afforded them the fault will not be his. As a partizan he will be found to be conservative and reasonable, but withal bold and firm as the everlasting hills that girt his Pennsylvania home, in asserting and maintaining what he holds to be right and required by the best interests of the country."

PERSONAL.—The inimitable Jim—the model Conductor of the Great Southern train, after taking a two week's look at the Eastern lions, is at his post again.

Capt. R. R. Franks commenced running an Express train on Monday morning—in which position he will remain for some two weeks.

O. M. Irvine, the popular Fast Line Conductor takes a short respite—Capt. Franks having taken his place.

Maj. Delany, the gay, who was formerly a Conductor on the Eastern Division, passed through town *en route* for Pittsburgh on Monday, where he is a witness in a suit against the Pa. R. R. Co.

William McCormick, telegraph operator, and son of Alex. McCormick, of this place, left for Lecompton, Kansas, on Monday last. He carries with him the good wishes of a host of friends.

A RESPITE.—The Hollidaysburg operators in the burglary line have suspended operations for a while—probably fearful that a stray bullet, or buckshot might find its way into their carcases. The only business they have attempted since our last, was an effort to enter the house of A. Vowinkle, which a watch dog prevented, and a demonstration on the house of Nicholas Hewit, where they were probably disturbed. As they may next pay a visit to this place, our citizens should at once make preparations to give them the benefit of a warm reception.

JACOB FOUST.—The Erie City *Dispatch* says that the argument for a new trial in the case of Jacob Foust, will be heard before Judge Galbraith on the 2nd Monday of December.

In commenting upon the case, the same paper says:—

"The verdict of the jury in the case of Foust gives satisfaction to a large majority of the citizens of the county, and in granting, to a prisoner who has been *twice tried* and *convicted*, a new trial at great expense to the county, the court and those with whom it rests, would be guilty of robbing the tax-payers of the county, in entailing upon them unnecessary expense in giving a guilty party time to escape the meshes of the law. We hope, for the character and credit of our judges, that they will refuse to grant the request for a new trial already made, and thus conform to what the people think is right and just in the premises.

THE BAND CONCERT.—The Concert of the Altoona Brass Band, given at the Rifles Armory on Saturday evening last was a decided success in every sense of the word. A large audience was present, and the performances, both Vocal and Instrumental, were the best ever given in this place. The brass and string band, as well as the Glee Clubs, acquitted themselves admirably, but our talented friend Dougherty took down all with his Milesian songs. His "Soldier in the Army" was applauded to the echo, and he was compelled to sing it several times to satisfy the audience. We hope another opportunity will soon offer to hear him, as well as the bands and clubs.

☞ If the person, who has been in the habit of carrying coal from a certain coal house, belonging to a resident of Adaline Street, should visit that building again, he will be welcomed by a salute from one of Colt's revolvers, and should the said revolver contain anything else than powder, and the addition come in contact with what he carries under his clothes, it will be a fact, which no man will be able to deny, that a cicatrix will memorize the event.

FATAL ACCIDENT.—A man named Fleck, employed as a hod carrier on the new building of the Franklin High School, in Martinsburg, fell from the third story to the ground, in consequence of the breaking of a board, on Friday last, by which he was so severely injured that he died on Saturday. He resided in the vicinity of Martinsburg, and leaves a wife and children.

BEARS SHOT.—Bears, we hear are unusually plenty on the mountain, and so bold that they sometimes venture into the settlements in quest of food. Quite a number have been seen in this county, but only two cubs have been shot lately. They had been prowling about the premises of Mr. J. M. Tussey, of Sinking Valley, for some time, when that gentleman laid in wait, and without much trouble succeeded in killing both.

SHERIFF'S SALE.—The Sherif advertises to sell the real estate of the Blair County Coal and Iron Company, on the 30th inst. This is the last foothold of the Massachusetts Yankees who came to this country in 1847 to build a Railroad from Hollidaysburg to the Sugar Run Coal Mines.

DEAD.—We regret to announced that the child of Mr. Joseph Keesberry—mentioned in our last as having been scalded, suffered intensely until Thursday evening last, when it died. Our sympathies are with the bereaved parents who have thus suddenly been deprived of a household idol.

A CURIOSITY.—In the office of the Logan House hangs a small vial purporting to contain water from the river Jordan It was brought over by Bayard Taylor, and presented by him to Capt. C. B. Scely.

For the Tribune.

The Lutheran Colony.

MESSRS. EDITORS.—We have the satisfaction of informing you, and all interested, that the prospects for a successful and permanent organization of this lately proposed Colony, to be planted in Missouri, or some other portion of the Great West, are quite encouraging; and we expect in a short time to announce an appointment for a meeting, for the purpose of making some definite arrangements in reference to the place of location, and the method to be adopted for purchasing, and distributing the lands; and the time for emigrating &c., &c.

Applications have already been received from a number of persons of this, and several other counties and from other States, from good and substantial men. With these prospects before us we feel encouraged to ask all persons who feel disposed to unite in this enterprise, to make known to us as soon as possible their intentions, and we will continue to inform them from time to time, of all proceedings in reference to the Colony. As stated before, our object in attempting to organize a denominational Colony is to secure religious educational privileges at once. It is not designed however to be exclusively sectarian. Any well-disposed and honorable man may become a member who will comply with the regulations that will be instituted by the Colony when regularly organized.

Yours truly, GEO. W. PATTON,
D. R. GOOD.

Altoona Blair Co. Pa.

NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given to the Stockholders that the 7th instalment on the Capital Stock of the Altoona Gas and Water Company, will be due and made payable at the Banking House of Wm. M. Lloyd & Co., on Friday, December 16th, 1859.

BENJ. F. ROSE, *Sec'y.*

November, 17th, 1859.

No. 1. Literary Emporium Still Ahead!

H. Fettinger begs leave to announce to his numerons patrons and the public generally, that he is now closing out the balance of his stock of fancy and staple articles *below cost*, in order to make room for his immense new stock of toys, notions and fancy articles which he will have on hand for the Holidays. He now offers a rare chance for bargains.

N. B. Also, a large stock of school books selling at cost. Call and be convinced.

Committee Meeting.

ALTOONA, Nov. 22, 1859.

A meeting of the Committee of Arrangements to prepare for the celebration on the event of the introduction of gas and water into this place, was held this evening. Geo. B. Cramer, Esq., in the chair and G. W. Patton, acting as secretary.

Minutes of last meeting were, on motion, approved.

The Committee on Invitations reported having given invitations to the different companies and associations of this place, and that answers had been received from the J. S. of A., Altoona Lodge I. O. of O. F.; and Citizens Fire Company, stating that they would take part in the parade.

The Committee to procure a speaker for the day reported that they had secured the services of Col. L. W. Hall.

On motion, it was resolved that a committee be appointed by the Chair, to wait upon Thos. A. Scott, Esq., Gen'l Supt., and make arrangements for the issuing of excursion tickets to those companies, associations, bands, &c., who may come from a distance; and also to request the citizens of the place to suspend business on the afternoon of the parade. Messrs. J. Shoemaker, A. A. Smythe and C. J. Mann, were appointed said committee.

On motion the Chairman of the meeting was added to the committee.

The committee to inform Col. J. L. Piper of his appointment as Chief Marshal, reported that they had attended to their duty.

On motion, adjourned to meet at same place on Tuesday evening next, at 6 o'clock precisely.

GEO. B. CRAMER, Chairman.

G. W. PATTON, Secretary.

We may add to the above that Winnebago Tribe, I. O. R. M., of this place, have accepted the invitation sent to them, and will turn out in full regalia on the day. We have also assurance that Mountain Lodge, A. Y. M., will join the parade. It is also confidently expected that the Ringold Artillery, from Patterson, and the Patterson Brass Band will be on hand. Nothing definite has been received from any other associations or companies, but we hope, by next week, to be able to report the acceptance of such an array of military companies and civic associations as will make a display far surpassing anything ever seen in this section.

ACCIDENT.—One day during last week, a young man, employed at the gas works, was severely injured by a fall. He was engaged in covering the holder, when the scaffolding upon which he stood gave way, when he was precipitated a distance of some fifteen feet between the holder and the wall of the tank.

REMOVAL.—Maj. J. D. Leet, Attorney at Law, has removed from the office heretofore occupied by him to the room formerly occupied by Peter Reed as a Chair shop, in Virginia street, next door to Flowers' store.

☞ "Don't fail to see Sixth Annual Announcement," and brilliant offers, in another column.

MARRIED.

At the residence of Mrs. Maria Wilson, in Williamsburg, on the 21th inst., by the Rev. John Moore, Mr. PETER HESS, of Scott county, Iowa, to Miss RACHAEL STEWARD, of Williamsburg, Pa.

DIED.

At Woosterville, Ohio, on the 13th Oct. 1856, Mr. ROBERT LANGHAM, formerly of Greenfield tp., in this county, aged about 70 years.

In Frankstown township, Blair Co., Pa. Nov. 1st 1859, Mrs. CATHARINE KETNER, aged 52 years 11 months and 7 days.

C. W. KIMBALL, & CO.,

DEALRES IN GROCERIES AND Produce, Rebecca St., Allegheny City, Pa.

Nov. 21. '59-2t.

MORE LIGHT! MORE LIGHT! Just arrived at the store of A. Roush, a splendid lot of a No. 1, Carbon Oil, which he will sell at 31 cts per quart, also a lot of Carbon Oil Lamps of Jones Patent which are warranted to be superior to any other kind.

Altoona, Nov. 24, '59-tf.

NOTICE.—LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION having been granted by the Orphans' Court of Blair Co. to the undersigned, on the estate of Dr. G. D. Thomas, deceased, late of Altoona, Pa., all persons having claims against such estate, are hereby notified to present their accounts duly authenticated and ready for settlement, to the undersigned at her residence, in Altoona, or to Mr. James Hutchison, of Logan township, one of the former executors of said estate, on or before the 15th day of December ensuing. And all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate, are notified to come forward promptly and make payment, as no longer indulgence can be given. NANCY JANE THOMAS, Administratrix.

Altoona, Nov. 23d, 1859-6t.

DR. HERSHEY'S CELEBRATED

Worm Syrup.

TO THE PUBLIC.

AFTER A TRIAL of over TEN years in private practice, the subscriber is prepared to offer to the public a WORM SYRUP which has never failed to perform cures where others have been given in vain. It is beyond dispute the most pleasant and effectual preparation of the kind ever offered for sale.

It performs its cures safely, speedily, and effectually; injuring the nervous system in no wise—unlike. in this respect, to the Pink Root and Turpentine preparations—nor does it contain mercury in any shape or form; but is a purely vegetable production, and so harmless in its action that the most delicate infant may take it.

It is one of the best and most gentle purgatives that can be administered to children, in case, even, where no Worms exist, and is all that may be required, in nine cases out of ten, to restore the deranged condition of the digestive organs, so frequently met during childhood; and save your children from severe spells of sickness, or convulsions.

Those Physicians who have used it are perfectly delighted with it, and use it in preference to any other preparation ever offered.

Manufactured and Sold Wholesale and Retail at N. W. Corner Fourth and George St., Philadelphia, Pa.

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Office, 110 SOUTH FOURTH STREET,
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Altoona, Blair County, Pa.

CHARTER PERPETUAL. CAPITAL $200,000.
ORGANIZED 1851.

Insures from Loss by Fire:—Household Goods, Buildings and Merchandize generally.

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Inland Insurance—On Goods, by Canal, Lakes and Land Carriage. ROBERT PERRY, *Pres't.*
H. K. RICHARDSON, *Vice Pres't.*
GEO. C. HELMBOLD, *Sec'y.* [Sept. 29, '59-6m

American Life Insurance and Trust Co.
Capital Stock, $500,000.
Company Building, Walnut St., S. E. corner of Fourth Phila.

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LIFE INSURANCE AT THE USUAL MUTUAL RATES, OR AT JOINT STOCK RATES, AT ABOUT 20 PER CENT. LESS, OR AT TOTAL ABSTINANCE RATES, THE LOWEST IN THE WORLD. A. WHILLDIN, *Pres't.*
J. C. SIMMS, *Sec'y.* [Oct. 27th, 1859-1y.

BLAIR COUNTY INSURANCE AGENCY.—The undersigned, Agent of the Blair County Mutual Fire Insurance Company, is at all times ready to insure against loss or damage by fire, *Buildings, Merchandize, Furniture and Property*, of every description, in town or country, at as reasonable rates as any Company in the State. Office with Bell, Johnston, Jack & Co. D. T. CALDWELL, *Agent.*

Jan. 27, '59-tf

GREAT WESTERN INSURANCE AND TRUST COMPANY.—Insurance on Real or personal property will be effected on the most reasonable terms by their agents in Altoona at his office in Anna St.

March 17, 1859. JOHN SHOEMAKER, Agent.

UNITED STATES LIFE INSURANCE Company. Agency, Anna Street, Altoona.

March 17, 1859. JOHN SHOEMAKER, Agent.

FULL LENGTH STEEL ENGRAVINGS of WASHINGTON and EVERETT, including a VIEW OF MOUNT VERNON in the Engraving of Washington. These splendid engravings are from the original paintings by Hicks, and are engraved on steel in the highest style of Art. They are each 22x28 inches, each containing six square feet. So many coarse, miserable pictures have been palmed upon the public as works of art—and especially in cheap, black and muddy engravings—that it is difficult to convince persons of taste that they are safe in ordering what they have not first seen. We have paid the first artists their own prices, amounting to many thousand dollars to produce engravings really beautiful, as well as the best portraits, and that shall be splendid ornaments to any.

☞ Opinions that can be relied on.

☞ The editor of the New York Observer says:—"These engravings are genuine works of art—the likenesses are admirable. The portrait of Mr. Everett will take precedence of all others"

☞ The New York Christian Advocate says:—"They are among the finest engravings we have ever seen, and the publishers are fully responsible for all they promise."

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We will send, post paid, securely packed in rollers—

Either Engraving and a $3 Magazine, one year, for $3.
Both Engravings, and a $3 Magazine, one year, for $4.

☞ Agents who remit $30 at one time, will have an extra copy of each engraving. The Magazines are *Harper's, The Knickerbocker, Godey's Lady's Book, The Atlantic, Blackwood.*

☞ By special arrangement, the entire year's subscriptions to the Magazine is paid over by us to their publishers, and subscribers receive their supply for the year direct from their respective publication offices. The cost of the engravings is paid only by the difference between the lowest wholesale and the regular price of the Magazines.

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6th Annual Announcement!

CONTINUED SUCCESS OF THE

COSMOPOLITAN ART ASSOCIATION.

From all sections of the country subscribers to this popular Art Institution, (now in its sixth year,) are being received in a ratio unparalelled with that of any previous year.

ANY PERSON CAN BECOME A MEMBER BY SUBSCRIBING $3

WHICH WILL ENTITLE HIM TO

1st.—The beautiful Steel Engraving, "Shakspeare and His Friends."

2d.—A Copy of the elegantly Illustrated Art Journal, one year.

3d.—A Free Season Admission to the Galleries, 548 Broadway, New York.

In addition to which, over *four hundred* valuable Works of Art are *given* to subscribers as Premiums, comprising choice Paintings, Sculptures, Outlines, &c., by the first American and Foreign Artists.

The superb Engraving, which every subscriber will receive *immediately* on receipt of subscription, entitled

"Shakespeare and his Friends,"

is of a character to give unqualified pleasure and satisfaction. No work of equal value was ever before placed within reach of the people at such a price. The Engraving is of very large size, being printed on heavy plate paper, 30 by 38 inches making a most superb ornament suitable for the walls of either the library, parlor, or office.

It can be sent to any part of the country, by mail, with safety, before packed in a cylinder, postage *pre-paid.*

Think of it! Such a work delivered free of charge, and the *Art Journal*, one year, for *three dollars!*

SUBSCRIPTIONS will be received until the Evening of Tuesday the 31st of January, 1860, at which time the books will close and the Premiums be given to subscribers.

No person is restricted to a single subscription. Those remitting $15 are entitled to six memberships.

Subscriptions from California, the Canadas, and all Foreign Provinces, must be $4,50 instead of $3, in order to defray extra postages, &c.

Persons wishing to form clubs will apply for a circular of terms, &c.

The beautifully Illustrated Art Journal, giving full particulars, will be sent on receipt of 18 cents, in stamps or coin. Address,

C. L. DERBY, Actuary C. A. A.,
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Pure Ohio Catawba Brandy.

THE UNIVERSAL PREFERENCE which is given to this brand shows that it is the only PURE BRANDY for

MEDICINAL PURPOSES known, which is fully corroborated by all practicing physicians who have used it in their practice.

For Summer Complaints with Children,

A Cure is guaranteed or the money will be refunded,

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The pure article is altogether superior, and a sovereign and SURE REMEDY for

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Physicians, who have used it in their practice, speak of it in the most flattering terms, as will be seen by reference to the numerous letters and certificates.

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A. ROUSH,

Sole Wholesale and Retail Agent for Blair county.

Nov. 10, 1859.

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Cassville Seminary

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FOR YOUNG LADIES & GENTLEMEN.

Cheapest School in the Land!

Send for a Catalogue!

Address M. McN. Walsh. A. M.,

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Sept. 22, 1859-3m.

NEW GROCERY FEED AND PROVISION STORE.

The subscriber would respectfully inform the citizens of Altoona and vicinity that he has opened a store of the above kind, near the corner of Adaline and Julia streets, East Altoona, where he will keep constantly on hand a full supply of everything in his line. His

GROCERIES

are all fresh and will be sold at prices as low as those of any other establishment in town. His stock of provisions, consisting of

Flour, Hams, Shoulders, Sides, &c.

will be sold a little cheaper than they can be bought any where else. His Flour is obtained from the best mills in the Western part of the State, and is warranted to be what it is represented.

All kinds of Feed for horses, cows and hogs, always on hand.

I intend to keep such an assortment that I shall at all times be able to supply my customers with whatever they may need, and I intend also to sell at prices which will make it a saving to those who patronize my store.

July 22, 1858-3m. MERVY BELL.

New Book Store.

THE SUBSCRIBER HAS LATELY opened a BOOK STORE next door to the corner of *Virginia and Annie streets*, where may be found

Old and Standard Authors, New Publications, Light Literature, Periodicals and Staple and Fancy Stationery in large varieties.

Also, a new and very select lot of SHEET MUSIC, MUSIC BOOKS and MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS. The citizens of Altoona are respectfully invited to call.

☞ All orders attended to with promptness and dispatch.

Altoona, Nov. 3, 1859-tf H. SMITH.

PLANING MILL & SASH MANUFACTORY.—The subscriber would announce that he has removed his

Planing Mill and Sash Manufactory,

from Tipton to Altoona, where he will continue to fill orders and attend to all work entrusted to him, with despatch. The Mill is on the lot adjoining Allison's Steam Flouring Mill. THOS. M'CAULEY.

Altoona, Nov. 17, 1859.—tf.

THE LARGEST ASSORTMENT OF Boy's wear, such as Jackets, Frock and Sack coats Pants and Vests, at the lowest prices, at H. TOUPS.

Dec. 9, 1858.

THE NEW-YORK TRIBUNE.—The Tribune is now more than eighteen years old, and having over Two Hundred Thousand subscribers, or constant purchasers, circulated through every State and Territory of our Union—will continue in essence what it has been—the earnest champion of Liberty, Progress, and of whatever will conduce to our national growth in Virtue, Industry, Knowledge, and Prosperity. It will continue to urge the emancipation not only of the Black laborer from chattelism and legal impotence, but of the White likewise from Land Monopoly, Intemperance, Ignorance, and that dependence on remote Markets which paralyses enterprise by denying to Toil any adequate and morally certain reward. Believing that the chief evil of our time is the inordinate multiplication and disproportion of Non-Producers, it will continue to war against whatever tends to degrade Manual Labor or deprive it of its just and full reconnoissance. It will inflexibly commend the policy of winning hither from Europe the Useful Arts, and, wherever they may be needed, the Artisans as well, for whose products our country is now running recklessly into debt, while our laborers roam in fruitless quest of employment, leaving their children in want of bread, though the farmer is too often compelled to sell his crops at most inadequate prices. In short, while battling against Filibusterism and every other manifestation of that evil spirit which seeks through the spoliation of other countries that aggrandizement which is to be truly attained only through the due development and cultivation of our internal resources, it will urgently advocate a more effectual yet discriminating Tariff, the Freedom of the Public Lands, the construction of a Railroad from the navigable waters of the Mississippi to those of the Pacific, and every other measure which seems to us calculated to enhance the dignity or the recompense of Labor and promote the well-being of Mankind.

The "irrepressible conflict" between Darkness and Light, Inertia and Progress, Slavery and Freedom, moves steadily onward. Isolated acts of folly and baseness may for the moment give a seeming advantage to Wrong; but God still reigns, and the Ages are true to Humanity and Right.—The year 1860 must witness a memorable conflict between these irreconcilable antagonists. The question—"Shall Human Slavery be further strengthened and diffused by the power and under the flag of the Federal Union?" is now to receive a momentous if not conclusive answer.—"Land for the Landless, versus Negroes for the Negroless" is the battle-cry of the embodied Millions who, having just swept Pennsylvania, Ohio and the North-West, appear in the new Congress, backed by nearly every Free State, to demand a recognition of every man's right to cultivate and improve a modicum of the earth's surface wherever he has not been anticipated by the State's cession to another.—Free Homes, and the consecration of the virgin soil of the Territories to Free Labor—two requirements, but one policy—must largely absorb the attention of Congress through the ensuing session, as of the People in the succeeding Presidential canvass; and, whatever the immediate issue, we cannot doubt that the ultimate verdict will be in accord at once with the dictates of impartial Philanthropy and the inalienable Rights of Man.

Having made arrangements for fuller and more graphic reports of the doings of Congress, and of whatever else transpiring at the Federal Metropolis shall seem worthy of public regard, and having extended both our Foreign and Domestic Correspondence and strengthened our Editorial staff, we believe THE TRIBUNE may safely challenge a comparison with any rival, whether as an exponent of principle or as a reliable mirror of the passing world. We purpose not to be surpassed nor anticipated in the collection or presentation of intelligence, though we eschew that reputation for enterprise which is acquired by bribing messengers and clerks in public offices to connive at the premature publication of treaties or other official documents. We prize accuracy of statement quite as highly as promptitude, but endeavor not to sacrifice the latter while securing the former. Essentially, THE TRIBUNE will be what it has been, while we shall constantly study to improve its every feature, and "make each day's critic on the last." The general verdict of the Press and the Public has affirmed the success of our past labors, and those of the future shall be characterized by equal earnestness and assiduity. We ask those who believe the general influence of our journal to be salutary to aid us in extending that influence through an increase of our subscriptions.

THE NEW-YORK DAILY TRIBUNE is printed on a large imperial sheet, and published every morning and evening (Sundays excepted). It contains Editorials on the topics of the times, employing a large corps of the best newspaper writers of the day; Domestic and Foreign Correspondence; Proceedings of Congress; Reports of Lectures; City News, Cattle, Horse, and Produce Markets; Reviews of Book; Literary Intelligence; Papers on Mechanics and the Arts, &c., &c. We strive to make THE TRIBUNE a *newspaper* to meet the wants of the public—its Telegraphic news alone costing over $15,000 per annum.

TERMS:

THE DAILY TRIBUNE is mailed to subscribers at $6 per annum, in advance; $3 for six months.

THE NEW-YORK SEMI-WEEKLY TRIBUNE is published every Tuesday and Friday, and contains all the Editorials of the Daily, with the Cattle, Horse, and General Markets, reliably reported expressly for THE TRIBUNE; Foreign and Domestic Correspondence; and during the sessions of Congress it contains a summary of Congressional doings, with the more important speeches. We shall, as heretofore, make THE SEMI-WEEKLY TRIBUNE a Literary, as well as a political newspaper, and we are determined that it shall remain in the front rank of family papers.

One copy, one year	$2	Five copies, one year	$11,25
Two copies, one year,	5	Ten "	*to one address*, 20,00
Ten copies, or over,	*to address of each subscriber*,		$2,00 each.

Any person sending us a club of twenty, or over, will be entitled to an extra copy. For a club of fifty, we will send the Daily Tribune one year.

THE SEMI-WEEKLY TRIBUNE is sent to Clergymen at $2 per annum.

THE NEW-YORK WEEKLY TRIBUNE, a large eight-page paper for the country, is published every Saturday, and contains Editorials on the important topics of the times, the news of the week, interesting correspondence from all parts of the world, the New-York Cattle, Horse, and Produce Markets, interesting and reliable Political, Mechanical and Agricultural articles, &c., &c.

We shall, during this year, as hitherto, constantly labor to improve the quality of the instructive entertainment afforded by THE WEEKLY TRIBUNE, which, we intend, shall continue to be the best Family Weekly Newspaper published in the World. We consider the Cattle Market Reports alone richly worth to cattle raisers a year's subscription price.

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One copy, one year,	$2	Five copies, one year,	$8
Three copies, one year,	5	Ten copies, one year,	12
Twenty copies, *to one address*,			20
and any large number, $1 each.			
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Any person sending us a club of twenty, or more, will be entitled to an extra copy. For a club of fifty, we will send the Semi-Weekly Tribune; and for a club of one hundred the Daily Tribune will be sent gratis. We continue to send The Weekly *Tribune* to Clergymen for $1.

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A BOOK FOR EVERYBODY.—STARTLING DISCLOSURES.—Dr. TELLER'S great work for the married, or for those contemplating marriage—200 pages, full of PLATES. Price 25 cents—sent to all parts under seal, by mail, POST PAID. 600,000 copies sold the last year. The single, married, and the married happy. A Lecture on *Love*, or how to choose a partner; a complete work on Midwifery. It contains hundreds of secrets never before published—warranted to be worth three times the amount asked for it. 25 cents in specie or postage stamps enclosed, will secure a copy by return of mail.

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Dr. Vichol's Female Pills, $1 a box, with full directions. Married ladies should not use them. Sent by mail. Address Dr. Teller, as above. April 17th, '59-1y.

FARM LANDS FOR SALE 25 MILES from Philadelphia by Railroad in the State of New Jersey. Soil among the best for Agricultural purposes, being good loam soil with a clay bottom. The land is a large tract, divided into small farms, and handed down all parts of the country are now settling and building.—The crops produced are large and can be seen growing.—The climate is delightful and secure from frosts. Terms from $15 to $20 per acre, payable within four years by instalments. To visit the place—Leave Vine Street Wharf at Philadelphia at 7½ A. M. by Railroad for Hammonton, or address R. J. Byrnes, by letter, Hammonton Post Office, Atlantic County, New Jersey. See full advertisement in another column.

NOTICE.—ALL PERSONS KNOWING themselves indebted to the firm of Runyan & Sanford, will please call and settle their accounts without delay, as ample time has been given. In thirty days hereafter, all accounts unsettled will be plac

HOSTETTER'S
STOMACH BITTERS.

It is a fact that, at some period, every member of the human family is subject to disease or disturbance of the bodily functions; but, with the aid of a good tonic and the exercise of plain common sense, they may be able so to regulate the system as to secure permanent health. In order to accomplish this desired object, the true course to pursue is certainly that which will produce a natural state of things at the least hazard of vital strength and life. For this purpose, Dr. Hostetter has introduced to this country a preparation bearing his name, which is not a new medicine, but one that has been tried for years, giving satisfaction to all who have used it. The Bitters operate powerfully upon the stomach, bowels, and liver, restoring them to a healthy and vigorous action, and thus, by the simple process of strengthening nature, enable the system to triumph over disease.

For the cure of Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Nausea, Flatulency, Loss of Appetite, or any Bilious Complaints, arising from a morbid inaction of the Stomach or Bowels, producing Cramps, Dysentery, Colic, Cholera Morbus, &c., these Bitters have no equal.

Diarrhœa, dysentery or flux, so generally contracted by new settlers, and caused principally by the change of water and diet, will be speedily regulated by a brief use of this preparation. Dyspepsia, a disease which is probably more prevalent, in all its various forms, than any other, and the cause of which may always be attributed to derangements of the digestive organs, can be cured without fail by using HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS, as per directions on the bottle. For this disease every physician will recommend Bitters of some kind; then why not use an article known to be infallible? All nations have their Bitters, as a preventive of disease and strengthener of the system in general; and among them all there is not to be found a more healthy people than the Germans, from whom this preparation emanated, based upon scientific experiments which have tended to prove the value of this great preparation in the scale of medical science.

FEVER AND AGUE.—This trying and provoking disease, which fixes its relentless grasp on the body of man, reducing him to a mere shadow in a short time, and rendering him physically and mentally useless, can be driven from the body by the use of HOSTETTER'S RENOWNED BITTERS. Further, none of the above-stated diseases can be contracted, even in exposed situations, if the Bitters are used as per directions. And as they neither create nausea nor offend the palate, and render unnecessary any change of diet or interruption of ordinary pursuits, but promote sound sleep and healthy digestion, the complaint is removed as speedily as is consistent with the production of a thorough and permanent cure.

For Persons in Advanced Years, who are suffering from an enfeebled constitution and infirm body, these Bitters are invaluable as a restorative of strength and vigor, and need only be tried to be appreciated. And to a mother while nursing these Bitters are indispensable, especially where the mother's nourishment is inadequate to the demands of the child, consequently her strength must yield, and here it is where a good tonic, such as Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, is needed to impart temporary strength and vigor to the system. Ladies should by all means try this remedy for all cases of debility, and, before so doing, should ask their physician, who, if he is acquainted with the virtue of the Bitters, will recommend their use in all cases of weakness.

CAUTION.—We caution the public against using any of the many imitations or counterfeits, but ask for HOSTETTER'S CELEBRATED STOMACH BITTERS, and see that each bottle has the words "Dr. J. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters" blown on the side of the bottle, and stamped on the metallic cap covering the cork, and observe that our autograph signature is on the label.

☞ **Prepared and sold by HOSTETTER & SMITH, Pittsburgh, Pa., and sold by all druggists, grocers, and dealers generally throughout the United States, Canada, South America, and Germany.**

☞ Sold by G W Kessler and A Roush, Altoona; G A Jacobs, J K Patton and W G Murray, Hollidaysburg; and S Berlin, Tyrone. [Aug. 25, 1859–1y

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WOOD, EDDY & CO.'S
DELAWARE STATE
LOTTERIES!
CAPITAL PRIZE $100,000

The following

MAGNIFICENT SCHEMES

will be drawn by Wood, Eddy & Co., Managers, at Wilmington, Delaware, in public, under the superintendence of sworn commissioners appointed by the Governor.

DELAWARE LOTTERY,
CLASS NO. 618,
DRAWS ON SATURDAY, NOV. 26th, 1859.

78 *Numbers*—13 *Drawn Ballots.*

1 Grand Capital Prize of $100,000!

1 Prize of	$50,000	100 Prizes of		$1,000
2 " "	20,000	170 " "		500
2 " "	10,000	65 " "		100
2 " "	6,000	65 " "		75
2 " "	5,000	65 " "		60
2 " "	4,000	65 " "		50
3 " "	3,000	4,619 " "		40
3 " "	2,000	27,040 " "		20

32,396 Prizes amounting to $1,186,786!

NEARLY 1 PRIZE TO EVERY 2 TICKETS.

Whole Tickets $20; *Halves* $10; *Quarters* $5.

Certificates of Packages in the above scheme will be sold at the following rates, which is the risk:

Certificate of Packages of 26 Whole Tickets,	$260 00
" " 26 Half "	149 50
" " 26 Quarter "	74 75
" " 26 Eighth "	37 37

SPLENDID SCHEME.
TO BE DRAWN
EACH WEDNESDAY IN NOVEMBER.

Class 576 Draws Wednesday, November 2, 1859.
Class 588 Draws Wednesday, Nov. 9, 1859.
Class 600 Draws Wednesday, Nov. 16, 1859.
Class 612 Draws Wednesday, Nov. 23, 1859.
Class 624 Draws Wednesday, Nov. 30, 1859.

Nearly one Prize to every two Tickets!
78 Numbers--14 Drawn Ballots.

1 CAPITAL PRIZE OF $40,000!

1 Prize of	$15,000	189 Prizes of		225
1 "	10,000	65 "		180
1 "	5,000	65 "		80
1 "	4,000	65 "		50
1 "	2,464	130 "		30
30 Prizes of	1,000	4,745 "		20
60 "	500	27,940 "		10

31,396 Prizes amounting to $589,589.

Whole Tickets $10—*Halves* $5—*Quarters* $2,50

Certificates of Packages in the above Scheme, to be drawn each Wednesday, will be sold at the following rates, which is the risk:

Certificate of Package of 26 Whole tickets	$149,50
" " 26 Half "	74,75
" " 26 Quarter "	37,37

IN ORDERING TICKETS OR CERTIFICATES, Enclose the amount of money to our address, for what you wish to purchase; name the Lottery in which you wish it invested, and whether you wish Wholes, Halves or Quarters, on receipt of which, we send what is ordered, by first mail, together with the scheme.

Immediately after the drawing, a printed drawing, certified to by the Commissioner, will be sent, with an explanation.

Purchasers will please write their signatures plain, and give the name of their Post Office, County and State.

All communications strictly confidential.

All prizes of $1,000 and under, paid immediately after the drawing, other prizes at the usual time of 40 days.

Our Single Number Lottery
CLASS 47.
CAPITAL PRIZE $100,000!

Drawn on Saturday, November 19, 1859.

Whole Tickets $20; Halves $10; Quarters $5.

For Tickets or Certificates in the above Schemes apply to

WOOD, EDDY & Co., Wilmington, Delaware,
or, WOOD, EDDY & CO., Augusta, Georgia.
or, WOOD, EDDY & CO., Atalanta, Georgia.

☞ The Drawings of the Delaware State Lotteries are published in the New York Times and Herald.

DR COGGSWELL'S NEW MEDICAL SALT.

Read the following Certificates to the Efficacy of this Medicine in Inflammatory Diseases.

"For the last twelve years I have been more or less troubled with Inflammatory Rheumatism, commencing early in the Spring, and lasting until cold weather set in, when I would be relieved for a awhile, only to be attacked again in the Spring. All my joints would swell and be very sore, attended with the most acute pain. My feet, shoulders, arms, and hands troubled me most, so much so that I could scarcely walk, and almost always required assistance in dressing. During this time I would try everything I could hear of, in the hope of finding a cure. I also tried several physicians, but nothing seemed to help me the least in the world. About two and a half years ago I was attacked as usual, and as usual tried everything to get rid of it, but to no purpose. I kept growing worse, and finally had to give up and stay in the house, where I was confined about four weeks. This time my feet swelled, and were so sore that I could not stand on them or get on my boots, and my hands swolled to twice their usual size. In fact, I was, to all appearances and belief, totally used up. About this time my parents, who reside in Maine, sent for me to come home. I went and after my arrival I commenced trying another remedy, hoping to be cured, but resulting the same as all others. For weeks I had not been able to dress myself or to raise my hand to my head, and suffering the most excruciating pain all the time.—One day my father came in with a paper in which was advertised Dr. Coggswell's MEDICAL SALT, for Inflammatory Diseases only, and wanted me to read and see what I thought of it. I read and laughed at it, pronounced it a humbug, and told him that I had been humbugged enough. He kept urging me, and at last said I could but try it, and if I would write to Dr. C., giving him a description of my disease, he would pay the expense. Of course I could not refuse such an offer and sent for one box. It came in due season, but my faith was not increased, and I laughed at the idea of so small a dose doing me any good, and told my wife that I believed Dr. C. and his Salt, both humbugs.—However, I commenced using it and the result was perfectly astonishing. I could hardly realize it myself. I slept soundly all night, which I had not done for a long time, and when I awoke in the morning, strange as it may seem, I was entirely free from pain. I had then taken but one dose, and bathed freely before going to bed. That morning I felt so well that I hardly knew how to contain myself, and went down stairs and told the folks how well I felt, and from that day to this I have not suffered one moment's pain or had an attack of my once dreaded enemy, Rheumatism. I am perfectly well and hearty, and wherever I have a chance I recommend it. A friend of mine, residing in Brooklyn, is now trying it for a bad case of neuralgic rheumatism, and so far it is working admirably.—This is a long story, but I have told all the facts, which I can bring witnesses to substantiate if necessary; and will again say that in the MEDICAL SALT, a sure cure may be found for all inflammatory diseases, and would urge all who are afflicted to give it a trial. GEO. H. DUNCAN,
No. 117 Wall Street, New York.

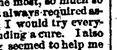
When it is remembered that the MEDICAL SALT is as efficacious in all other Inflammatory diseases as in Rheumatism, (see descriptive circulars) it will at once be seen that it is a most valuable remedy. Surely those thus afflicted will find in their own condition and in the above statements enough to induce them to give the MEDICAL SALT a trial.

Price $1,00; Chronic packages, $2,50.

D. C. TAYLOR & CO.,
General Agents, No. 202 Dock Street, Philadelphia.

For sale in Altoona by A. ROUSH; at Bells Mills by B. F. Bell; in Hollidaysburg by Geo. A. Jacobs, and by all enterprising Druggists, and wherever the *Tribune* goes.—Call or send and get a circular, and do not fail to try the New Medical Salt.
Dec. 16, '58-1y.

WEST ALTOONA CABINET WARE ROOM.—The undersigned has lately made arrangements to do business on a more extensive scale than heretofore, and is now prepared to execute all



ORDERS FOR FURNITURE,
OF ANY KIND,
AT SHORTEST NOTICE.

His workmen are acknowledged to be capable of doing *The very best work in the line of Cabinet Making,*

and all those who entrust him with their orders may rely upon receiving finished work.

He keeps a constant supply of Furniture on hand, to which he invites to attention of those intending to

GO TO HOUSE KEEPING."

Call on him at at his room in Loudonsville, near the Plank Road.

COFFINS MADE TO ORDER.
November 11, 1858. ISAAC CROMER.

FISK'S METALIC BURIAL CASES.—This is a new article in this section of the country, although extensively used in the East. They are a sure protection against

WATER AND VERMIN,

and possess many other advantages over the common coffins. The remains of the lamented CLAY and WEBSTER were encased in these cases.

For sale by ISAAC CROMER.
November 11, 1858. Altoona, Pa.

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMEMT
FROM THE
Quaker City Publishing House!
100,660 Catalogues,
NEW, ENLARGED AND REVISED—NOW READY FOR DISTRIBUTION.

Superior Inducements to the Public!

☞ A new and sure plan for obtaining GOLD and SILVER WATCHES, and other valuable Prizes. Full particulars given in Catalogues, which will be sent free to all upon application.

Valuable Gifts, worth from 50 cts. to $100, GUARANTEED to each purchaser. $100,000 in Gifts have been distributed to my patrons within the past six months—$150,000 to be distributed during the next six months.

The inducements offered Agents are more liberal than these of any other house in the business.

Having been in the Publishing and Bookselling business for the last eight years, my experience enables me to conduct the Gift-Enterprise with the greatest satisfaction to all.

☞ AGENTS WANTED in every Town and County. For full particulars address DUANE RULISON,
Quaker City Publishing House, 33 South Third St.,
Sept. 22, '59–4m. Philadelphia, Pa.

RED LION HOTEL,
ALTOONA, BLAIR COUNTY, PA.

This old established and popular HOTEL, located nearly opposite the place of stopping the passenger cars in Altoona, has passed into the hands of the present proprietor.—Long experience in the business warrants me in assuring the travelling public that no pains will be spared to render guests as comfortable as possible while sojourning under my roof.

The TABLE will constantly be supplied with the very best the market affords.

The BAR will be found to contain an excellent assortment of LIQUORS of all kinds, including that choice beverage *LAGER BEER.*

The STABLE is in charge of an excellent and experienced Ostler.

The proprietor hopes, by his long experience in the busines and the facilities at his command, to make the Red Lion, in all respects, a first class Hotel. The business of this Hotel will be under my own personal supervision. A liberal share of public patronage is kindly solicited.

JOHN W. SCHWEIGERT, *Proprietor.*
May 19, 1859.–tf

AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL,
R. E. SELLERS' Imperial Cough Syrup,
Hoofland's German Bitters,
Boerhave's Holland Bitters,
Sandford's Liver Invigorator,
Lindsey's Blood Searcher,
Clarke's Female Pills,
Duponco's Golden Pills,
Wright's, Ayer's, Wilson's and McLane's Pills,
Merchant's Gargling Oil,
Perry Davis' Pain Killer,
Matchett's Fourfold Liniment,
Mexican, Arabian, Nerve and Bone Leniment,
in store and for sale at
Sept. 2, 1858–tf. A. ROUSH'S Drug Store.

FLOUR.—THE BEST QUALITY OF FAMILY FLOUR for sale, Wholesale and Retail.—Apply to J. SHOEMAKER,
Dec. 11, 1856–tf. Masonic Temple.

CREAM TARTER, SUPER-CARBONATE of Soda, Saleratus, Washing Soda, Durkee's Baking Powder, in store and for sale at
Sept. 2, '58–tf.] A. ROUSH'S Drug Store.

SELLING OFF—A LARGE ASSORTMENT of Boots and Shoes, Buffalo and Cait Overshoes, at
Dec. 9, 1858. H. TUCH'S

CAMPHENE, BURNING FLUID, Linseed Oil, Spirits of Turpentine, White Lead and Alcohol, for sale cheap at A. ROUSH'S.

GROCERIES.—A LARGE AND complete assortment of Groceries have just been received at the store of J. B. HILEMAN.

PERSONS wishing to establish Manufactories in a new and thriving place where business is good. See advertisement of the Hammonton Settlement.

CARPET BAGS, TRUNKS, UMBRELLAS, &c., can be bought cheaper at H. TUCH'S than at any other place in the country. [Dec. 9, 1858.

ALL THE STANDARD PATENT MEDICINES AT [1-tf. KESSLER'S.

GREAT CENTRAL LITERARY EMPORIUM,
NO. 1, "ALTOONA HOUSE," ALTOONA, PA.,

WHERE MAY BE HAD ALL THE popular Publications of the day, as follows:

New York Ledger,
New York Mercury,
New York Weekly,
Scientific American,
New York Waverly,
Flag of Our Union,
True Flag,
American Union,
Saturday Evening Post,
Dollar Newspaper,
Sunday Dispatch,
Sunday Mercury,
Waverly Magazine,
Frank Leslie's Pictorial,
Harper's Weekly,
Ballou's Pictorial,
Frank Leslie's Ill. German Paper,
The Illustrated World, (German,)
The New York Clipper,
National Police Gazette,
United States Police Gazette,
Boston Pilot, *Irish American,*
Home Journal, *Banner of Light,*
Spiritual Telegraph, *Weekly Tribune,*
Porter's Spirit, *Life Illustrated,*
Frank Leslie's Budget of Fun, *Yankee Notions,*
Altoona Tribune. *Nix Nax.*

DAILIES:

Philadelphia Press, *New York Herald,*
Public Ledger, *New York Tribune,*
Pittsburgh True Press, *New York Times.*
North American, *Pittsburgh Chronicle,*
Evening Bulletin, *Evening Argus,* *Pennsylvanian.*

To which will be added the new publications as they appear. Magazines, Novels and Romances, Miscellaneous Books, School Books, Copy Books, Slates, Pens, Pencils, Inks, Cap and Letter Paper, Envelopes, Drawing and Tissue Paper, Blank Books and in fact every thing in the Stationary line. Toys, Notions and Games of every variety, Pictures and Picture Frames, &c.

☞ A choice lot of CONFECTIONERIES, of every variety. Also, TOBACCO and SEGARS of the best quality,

N. B.—We are sole Wholesale and Retail Agent, in this county, for ROHN'S CELEBRATED SALVE. It does positively cure all sores to which it is applied. Try it.
7-tf.] H. FETTINGER.

NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS!
At McCormicks Store,

Just arrived, and are now being offered for sale, an extensive assortment of goods of all the different styles and qualities, which the Philadelphia market affords, in the way of dress goods for Ladies together with all the more heavy Cotton and Woolen goods for Gentlemen and Boys wear, also a full stock of

READY MADE CLOTHING

for men and Boys, of the best material and latest Styles, in the way of business, dress and over coats, with pants and vests to match. Also all the different varieties of goods, such as

Hardware,
Queensware,
Cedarware,
Tinware,
Stoneware, &c,

GROCERIES,

Family Syrups, Sugar Brown an' White, Teas, &c., &c., with all the variety of spices necessary to make up a full assortment.

Men's fine and coarse Boots and Bootees,
Ladies " " " with & without heels,

in all the different material, with a very pretty assortment of Bonnets.

ALSO MEN AND BOYS LEDGER HATS AND CAPS, and all other articles usually kept in country stores, all of which will be sold as low as in any other house in town for cash, or exchanged for any article of produce, which can be consumed here or exchanged in the East for others

Altoona, Oct. 27th, '59.

EIGHT REASONS
WHY
EVERYBODY SHOULD GO TO
C. B. SINK'S STORE.

1. HE HAS A LARGE AND WELL selected assortment of Dry Goods, which are worth going to see.

2. He has an unequalled stock of *GROCERIES*, fresh and pure, which he will sell as reasonable as any merchant in the place.

3. He has *Hardware, Queensware, Stoneware, &c.*, of the most fashionable styles.

4. He has a large case of *Boots and Shoes* for Gents, Ladies, Misses and Children, embracing all sizes, qualities and prices.

5. He has a fine stock of *HATS* for Summer wear—just the pink of the fashion—all very cheap.

6. He keeps always on hand an assortment of *Ready-Made Clothing*, to suit the season.

7. He has on hand a large stock of *Cloths, Cassimeres and Vestings*, which he will make up to order on short notice in a fashionable style, and at prices which must give satisfaction.

8. He don't ask people to come and buy—only to come and examine his stock, feeling confident that if they but examine they will buy without asking.

Altoona, May 5, 1859.–tf

GREAT OPENING
OF
SPRING AND SUMMER
GOODS.

J. B. HILEMAN HAS JUST RECEIVED and opened at his old stand, on Virginia st., a large and attractive assortment of seasonable goods, comprising all the novelties in

EREGES, DUCALS, LAWNS, GINGHAMS, EMBROIDERIES, LACES, HOSIERY & GLOVES, and all varieties and textures of *LADIES DRESS-GOODS*,

together with a full assortment of goods for gentlemen's wear, such as Cloths, Cassimeres and Vestings.

Also a full stock of Hardware, Queensware and

GROCERIES,

and an assortment of

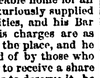
BOOTS, SHOES, GAITORS, &C.,

of all sizes and styles, which equal to any in the market, and will be sold at fair prices.

Having recently enlarged my store-room, I can now display my largely increased stock to better advantage and would respectfully invite everybody to call.

May 12, 1859.

EXCHANGE HOTEL.—THE SUBSCRIBER would respectfully inform the public that he has recently refitted the above Hotel, and is now prepared to accommodate his friends and patrons in a comfortable manner, and he



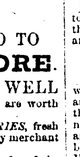
will spare no pains in making it an agreeable home for all sojourners. His Table will always be luxuriously supplied from the markets of the country and cities, and his Bar filled with liquors of choice brands. His charges are as reasonable as those of any other Hotel in the place, and he feels satisfied they can not be complained of by those who favor him with their custom. Expecting to receive a share of public patronage and fully intending to deserve it, he throws open his house to the public and invites a trial.

I have just received a stock of No. 1 French Brandy, for medicinal purposes.

Also a large stock of excellent Wines, for medicinal purposes, together with a lot of the best old Rye Whiskey to be found in the country.

Altoona, May 27, 1859.–1y] JOHN BOWMAN.

THE GREAT QUESTION WHICH now agitates the mind of every person is, where can I get the best article for my money? In regard to other matters, the subscriber would not attempt to direct, but if you want anything in the line of



BOOTS OR SHOES

he invites an examination of his stock and work.

He keeps constantly on hand an assortment of Boots, Shoes, Gaiters, Slippers, &c., which he offers at fair prices.

He will give special attention to custom work, all of which will be warranted to give satisfaction. None but the best workmen are employed

Remember my shop is on Virginia street, immediately opposite Kessler's Drug Store.

September 3, '57–tf] JOHN H. ROBERTS.

THE HAMMONTON FARMER.—A newspaper devoted to Literature and Agriculture, also setting fourth full accounts of the new settlement of Hammonton, in New Jersey, can be subscribed for at only 25 cents per annum.

Inclose postage stamps for the amount. Address to Editor of the Farmer, Hammonton, P. O. Atlantic Co., New Jersey. Those wishing cheap land, of the best quality, in one of the healthiest and most delightful climates in the Union, and where crops are never cut down by frosts, the terrible scourge of the north, see advertisement of Hammonton Lands.

BOOTS AND SHOES.—THE UNdersigned has now on hand and will sell cheap at his store in the Masonic Temple, a large and complete assortment of BOOTS AND SHOES, ready made, or made to order. Overshoes, Ladies' Sandals, Gum Shoes, Cork Soles, and everything in his line of business, of the best quality and on the most reasonable terms. All custom work warranted.

Jan. 2, '58–tf. J. SHOEMAKER.

PERSONS wanting change of climate for health. See advertisement of Hammonton Lands, in another column.

SOLUTION OF CITRATE OF MAGNESIA—a cooling Cathartic, mild in its operation and agreeable to the taste, prepared and for sale by
June 24, 1858.–tf A. ROUSH, *Druggist.*

NEW AGRICULTURAL SETTLEMENT.—*To all wanting Farms, a rare opportunity in a delightful and healthy climate 25 miles Southeast of Philadelphia, on the Camden and Atlantic Railroad New Jersey.*

An old estate consisting of several thousands of acres of *productive soil* has been divided into Farms of various sizes *to suit the* purchaser. A population of some *Fifteen Hundred*, from various parts of the Middle States and New England have settled there the past year, improved their places, *and raised excellent crops.* The price of the land is at the low sum of from $15 to $20 per acre, the soil is of the best quality for the production of *Wheat, Clover, Corn, Peaches, Grapes and Vegetables.* IT IS CONSIDERED THE BEST FRUIT SOIL IN THE UNION. The place is perfectly secure from frosts—the destructive enemy of the farmer. Crops of grain, grass and fruit are now growing and can be seen. By examining the place itself, a correct judgment can be formed of the productiveness of the land. The terms are made easy to secure the rapid improvement of the land, which is only sold for *actual improvement.* The result has been, that within the past year, *some three hundred houses* have been erected, two mills, one steam, four stores, some forty vineyards and Peach orchards planted, and a large number of other improvements, making it a desirable and active place of business.

THE MARKET,

as the reader may perceive from its location, is the

BEST IN THE UNION.

Produce bringing double the price than in locations away from the city, and more than double the price than the West. It is known that the earliest and best fruits and vegetables in this latitude come from New Jersey, and are annually exported to the extent of millions.

In locating here, the settler has many advantages. He is within a few hours ride of the great cities of New England and Middle States, he is near his old friends and associations, he is in a *settled country where every improvement of comfort and civilization is at-hand.* He can buy every article he wants at the cheapest price, and sell his produce for the highest. In the West this is reversed, he has schools for his children, *divine service*, and will enjoy an open winter, and delightful climate, where fevers are utterly unknown. The result of the change upon those from the north, has generally been to restore them to an excellent state of health.

In the way of building and improving, lumber can be obtained at the mills at the rate of $10 to $15 per thousand. Bricks from the brick yard opened in the place, every article can be procured in the place, good carpenters are at hand, and there is no place in the Union where buildings and improvements can be made cheaper.

The reader will at once be struck with the advantages there presented, and ask himself why the property has not been taken up before. The reason is, it was never thrown in the market; and unless these statements were correct, no one would be invited to examine the land before purchasing. This all are expected to do. They will see land under cultivation, such is the extent of the settlement that they will no doubt, meet persons, from their own neighborhood; they will witness the improvements and can judge the character of the population. If they come with a view to settle, they should come prepared to stay a day or two and be ready to purchase, as locations cannot be held on refusal.

There are two daily trains to Philadelphia, and to all settlers who improve, the Railroad Company gives a Free Ticket for six months, and a half-price Ticket for three years.

THE TOWN OF HAMMONTON.

In connection with the agricultural settlement, a new and thriving town has naturally arisen, *which presents inducements for any kind of business, particularly stores and manufactories. The Shoe business* could be carried on in this place and market to good advantage, also cotton business, and manufactories of *agricultural implements or foundries for casting small articles.* The improvement has been so rapid as to insure a constant and permanent increase of business. Town lots of a good size, so do not sell small ones, as it would effect the improvement of the place, can be had at from $100 and upwards.

The *Hammonton Farmer*, a monthly literary and agricultural sheet, containing full information of Hammonton, can be obtained at 25 cents per annum.

Title indisputable—warranty deeds given, clear of all incumbrance when money is paid. Route to the land: leave Vine street wharf, Philadelphia for Hammonton by Railroad, at 7½ A. M., or 4½ P. M. Fare 90 cents. When there inquire for Mr. Byrnes. Boarding conveniences on hand. Parties had better stop with Mr. Byrnes, a principal, until they have decided as to purchasing, as he will show them over the land in his carriage free of expense. Letters and applications can be addressed to Landis & Byrnes, Hammonton P. O., Atlantic Co., New Jersey, or S. B. Coughlin, 292 South Fifth Street, Philadelphia.—Maps and information cheerfully furnished.

[June 30 '59–6m.]

THE UNDERSIGNED WOULD respectfully inform his old customers and the public generally that he has just received a LARGE and HANDSOME assortment of

CLOTHS,
AND
Cassimeres,
VESTINGS,

which he is now and is prepared to make up in the latest style and manner, as none but the best workmen are employed, and he warrants to do his work in a workmanlike manner.

He has also a good assortment of GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS, such as SHIRTS, COLLARS, UNDERSHIRTS, Drawers, Pocket Handkerchiefs, Neck Ties, Stocks, Suspenders, Hosiery, &c., &c., also a large assortment of READY-MADE CLOTHING, all of which he is determined to sell as cheap as they can be bought this side of Philadelphia. The public are respectfully invited to call and examine my stock, as I shall take pleasure in showing them. Doors open at all times from 6 A. M. until 9 P. M. Admittance free.

May 5, 1859–tf THOMAS ELWAY.

PATENT KEROSENE OR CARBON OIL LAMPS!
Unrivalled in Beauty, Simplicity Safety or Economy.

Every person desiring to obtain the very best and cheapest portable light within their reach, should call at the store of the undersigned and examine these Lamps before purchasing elsewhere, and we pledge ourselves to demonstrate

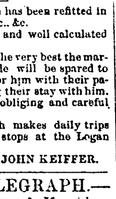
1st. That NO ACCIDENT can occur by explosion.
2d. That they emit no offensive odor while burning.
3d. That they are very easily trimmed.
4th. That they are easily regulated to give more or less light.
5th. That they burn entirely free from smoke.
6th. That the light is at least 50 per cent. cheaper than any other light now in common use.

These lamps are admirably adapted for the use of Students, Mechanics, Seamstresses, Factories, Halls, Churches, Stores, Hotels, and are highly recommended for family use.

The burner of the Carbon Oil Lamp can be attached to old side, hanging and table fluid and oil lamps, at a small expense, and will answer every purpose of a new lamp.

We guarantee perfect satisfaction in all cases.
Aug. 19, 1858–tf.] G. W. KESSLER.

LOGAN HOTEL.—THE UNDERSIGNED respectfully informs the citizens of Blair county and others, that he has opened up the LOGAN HOUSE, formerly kept by Sheriff Rea, at the west end of Hollidaysburg, for the reception of strangers and travellers.



Everything connected with the house has been refitted in the new with the choicest furniture, &c., &c.

The house is large and commodious, and well calculated for convenience and comfort.

His TABLE will be furnished with the very best the market can afford and no pains or trouble will be spared to render those who may choose to favor him with their patronage comfortable and happy during their stay with him.

His STABLING is ample, and an obliging and careful hostler will always be in attendance.

☞ The Williamsburg stage, which makes daily trips between this place and Williamsburg, stops at the Logan Hotel.

Dec. 17, 1857,—tf.] JOHN KEIFFER.

BY ATLANTIC TELEGRAPH.—Did you hear the news from Europe? If you have not, we will tell you what it is. It is that HENRY TUCK has just returned from the Eastern cities with a large supply of

READY-MADE CLOTHING,

consisting of all styles and qualities of Overcoats, Dress Coats, Vests, Pants, Boots and Shoes, and everything kept in an establishment of the kind, all of which he offers at unprecedentedly low prices for cash. Having purchased his stock at cash prices, he is thereby enabled to sell very low.

He invites all those in want of anything in his line to give him a call, feeling sure that he will be able to give satisfaction. HENRY TUCK.

Altoona, Sept. 30, 1858.–tf

OYSTERS! OYSTERS! OYSTERS! In consequence of the hard times, I have concluded to put down the price of my OYSTERS to the lowest possible standard. They will hereafter be served up on the Chafing Dish at TWENTY CENTS, and roasted in the shell and served up with all other accompaniments, TWENTY-FIVE CENTS. They will also be furnished, in every other way, at prices to correspond with the times.

JOHN KEIFFER,
Dec. 17, tf.] Logan House, Hollidaysburg.

CONCENTRATED LYE, FOR MAKING Soft Soap, and Soap Powder for Washing, one pound equal to six of common Soap; Castile Soap, Palm Soap, Chemical Soap, etc., on hand and for sale at
June 10, 1858.–tf] A. ROUSH'S.

LIQUORS.—A LARGE AMOUNT of well selected LIQUORS has been received at the "LOGAN HOUSE," Hollidaysburg, which will be sold at the lowest cash prices, wholesale or retail. The man who wants has only to call. [Dec. 17, tf.

QUEENSWARE, JUST RECEIVED. A large and fashionable assortment at the store of J. B HILEMAN.

HAIR OILS, COLOGNES, POMades, Shaving Cream, Toilet Soaps, &c. for sale by
1–tf.] G. W. KESSLER.

HARDWARE OF ALL DESCRIPtions just received and for sale by
Oct. 15-tf] J. B. HILEMAN.

HAIR, HAT, TOOTH, SHAVING, Paint, Sash and Varnish Brushes at KESSLER'S.

MARIA L. DE PEYSTER MEMORIAL SCHOOL.—This institution, which is located in Altoona, Blair County, Penn'a, will be opened on the 1st MONDAY in MAY. It is intended as a permanent School; and will connect with it a Male & Female Department. In the Male department, young men will be instructed with a view to their entering the advanced classes of our best Colleges; or, if desired, their education completed. In the Female department, instruction will be given in any, or all of the different branches, either *solid* or *ornamental*, taught in our best Female Seminaries.

The year will be divided into two Sessions of five months each—the Summer Session to commence on the 1st Monday of May, ending on the last Wednesday of September—the Winter Session to commence on the 1st Monday in November, ending on the last Wednesday of March. The Sessions will be divided into two quarters of eleven weeks each. Terms, per quarter, as follows—viz.:

SOLID BRANCHES.

Primary (including Reading, Writing, Orthography, Arithmetic, Grammar, and Geography, &c.) $4,00
Advanced (including the Natural Sciences, Mathematics, Mental and Moral Philisophy, Logic, the Languages and Composition &c.) $5,00

EXTRA, OR ORNAMENTAL BRANCHES.

Music (including use of Instrument) $10,00
Drawing, $3,00
Painting (In water Colors) 3,00
Needle work, 2,00
Instructions in vocal music gratis. One half the above charges, to be paid invariably in advance.

R. W. OLIVER, *Superintendent Male Dep't.*
A. B. CLARK, " *Female* "
Mr. ——, *Principal of Male* "
Miss C. M. CLARK, " *Female* "

March 10, 1859.–tf

HOLLIDAYSBURG MARBLE WORKS
JOHN McKEAGE, successor to A. W. Kinney,
Manufacturer and Wholesale Dealer in
PLAIN AND ORNAMENTAL MARBLE WORK,
at the lowest possible prices. All work finished at this establishment warranted to give satisfaction.
Hollidaysburg, Dec. 30, 1858–tf.

NEW GROCERY AND LIQUOR STORE.—The undersigned would beg leave to announce to the citizens of Blair county and vicinity that he has opened his new Store *on Virginia street, three doors below the Superintendent's Office*, where he has just received from the East and West a large assortment of

Foreign and Domestic Liquors,
consisting as follows:

French Otard Brandy, Cognac Brandy, Peach Brandy, Cherry Brandy, Old Burgundy Wine, Old Port Wine, Jamaica Rum, Holland Gins Old Rye Whiskey, Monongahela Whiskey, and Rhine Wine,

which he has himself imported. Retailers of Liquors and Farmers will find it to their advantage to buy of him, as he will sell at CITY PRICES.

He will also keep constantly on hand an assortment of

GROCERIES,

Such as Flour, Bacon, Salt, Fish, Tobacco, Segars, Syrup, Sugar, Coffee, &c., &c.,

All of which will be sold cheap for cash or Country Produce.

Our friends and the public generally are respectfully invited to give us a call before purchasing elsewhere.

LOUIS PLACK.
Altoona, May 26, 1859.–tf

PERSONS wishing to change their business to a rapidly increasing Country, a New Settlement where hundreds are going. Where the climate is mild and delightful. See advertisement of the Hammonton Settlement, in another column.

THE SECRET INFIRMITIES OF YOUTH AND MATURITY just published Gratis the 25th Thousand.

A few words on the Rational Treatment, without Medicine of Spermatorrhœa or Local Weakness, Nocturnal Emissions, Genital and Nervous Debility, Premature Decay of the System, Impotency and Impediments to marriage generally, by B. De Laney, M. D.

The important fact that many alarming complaints, originating in the imprudence and solitude of youth may be easily removed without medicine, is in this small tract, clearly demonstrated; and the entirely new and highly successful treatment as adopted by the Author, fully explained, by means of which every one is enabled to cure himself perfectly and at the least possible cost, thereby avoiding all the advertised nostrums of the day.

Sent to any address, gratis and post free in a sealed envelope, by remitting (post paid) two postage stamps to Dr. B. DE LANEY, 88 East 31st Street, New York City.
Sept. 22, '59–6m.

GRAPE growers can carry on their business most successfully at Hammonton, free from frosts. Some forty Vinyards set out the past season. See advertisement of Hammonton Lands, in another column.

JACOB SNYDER, TAILOR,
The Hero of One Hundred Fits per Month!

I would respectfully set forth my claim to public attention, as a Fashionable Tailor, as follows:

Because I keep an excellent assortment of Cloths, Cassimeres, Vestings and Trimmings, which, when examined, always please.

Because my work is made up in a manner that takes down the country and gives all my customers a city appearance.

Because I am not inferior as a Cutter to the best to be found anywhere.

Because long experience in my business gives me entire control over it, and I am not dependant upon any one to lift me out of the suds.

Because I am still on the sunny side of forty, and therefore my taste as a Cutter and workman unimpaired.

Call on me, in the corner room of the "Brant House." Give me a trial and you will go away pleased.

Altoona, May 26–5m JACOB SNYDER.

BLAIR COUNTY DAGUERREAN ROOMS.—Mr. G. W. FISHER, the Hollidaysburg Artist, begs leave to inform our readers that he is prepared to take

Photographs of deceased persons,

from Daguerreotypes, at the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms. He has just received a large stock of Gilt and neat cases, of all sizes and styles, including a new pattern of Family Case for four persons, and is prepared to fill them with perfect likenesses,

AMBROTYPE, DAGUERREOTYPE OR PHOTOGRAPH.

Give him a call. Rooms on the corner of Montgomery and Allegheny streets, Hollidaysburg, Pa. [June 17-tf.

G. W. KESSLER—PRACTICAL D